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INTRODUCTION

Thomas Rasberry & Company was not the first mercantile firm in Savannah or Georgia, but, so far as is known, the letter book of the company is the earliest Georgia merchant's letter book still in existence. Thomas Rasberry and William Russell were partners in the company.

The letter book is of interest from several standpoints, for not only does it show the sort of goods being bought and sold for domestic and Indian trade, but it gives a good picture of economics of the period. Through its pages, also, one catches fascinating glimpses of colonial Savannah, e.g., the Parish was too poor to buy an organ for the church, red and yellow were not popular colors, the financial troubles of Attorney-General William Clifton, news of the French and Indian War. As the letter book antedates the publication of a newspaper in Savannah, it helps to fill gaps in the history of the colony.

The letter book is transcribed exactly as written except for a few minor changes in punctuation. The symbol used for "per" and "pair" has been written out. The many cases where margins of pages have been broken off have been indicated as [torn]. In other places missing words or parts of words have been supplied in brackets. The first pages are missing.

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Little is known of Thomas Rasberry. He came to Georgia in 1751 or 1752. As he died in 1762, he was in the colony only nine or ten years. During this time he attained a place of some prominence, having been appointed to several commissions for Savannah and Christ Church Parish. He was elected to the Commons House of Assembly from the town and district of Savannah in 1758 and served until his death. At the time of his death he owned, in addition to his business, much property in Savannah and vicinity. He was survived by his widow, Ann, and two daughters, Ann

and Esther. Mrs. Rasberry became the second wife of John Milledge, Sr., in 1767. The daughter, Ann, married Robert Hamilton and Esther married Ebenezer Hills.

A. D. Candler, ed., *The Colonial Records of the State of Georgia*, VI (1906); VII (1906); VIII (1907); X (1907); XIII (1907); XVI (1907); XVIII (1910); XXVII (typed ms.); XXVIII, pt. 2 (typed ms.); Travis Abstracts (mss. at Georgia Historical Society); *The Georgia Gazette*, July 15, 1767; and the following manuscript records in the Georgia Department of Archives and History: Georgia Entry of Claims, U^3, 1757, pp. 56-57; Inventories of Estates, Book D, pp. 118-20; Ordinary's Court Minutes and Letters Granted, Book N, p. 13.

THE LETTER BOOK OF THOMAS RASBERRY, 1758-1761

6 ps fine bright coloured furniture Check at 3 prices — for Curtains
6 Womans blue & White striped cotton Gowns at 9/ each
6 ditto better a 10s/6d each
let the above Gowns be narrow blue Stripes the length of the Cloth and White Grounds
24 ps. scots linnen Check at 7-1/4d or 7-1/2d per Yd
6 ps. yard wide ditto at 10d.
6 ps. do a 12d.
12 ps. 7/8ths ditto at 9d. or 9-1/4
I shou'd be glad to have the above 7/8 and yard Checks folded up one half the Wedth of the Cloth, and not done up in the same Manner as the 3/4 Checks.
10 doz scots Handkerchiefs not to exceed 7s/ per doz
4 quarter Lawns a 15s. each
1 ps. Cambrick at 23s/
1 ps ditto a' 27s
1 ps ditto a' 33s.
1 ps ditto a' 37s
1 ps ditto a' 40s
1 ps ditto a' 45s
3 ps. 18 Yard Callicoes large flowers & White Ground a' 29s per ps
3 ps. ditto lower priced
3 dark Ground Callicoes a' 16s each
3 ditto a' 20s each
2 ps. Chintz 5 Colours a' 22/6 each
2 ps. full Chintz a' 26/ each
2 ps purple & white birds eye printed Linnens abt. 17 Yds each a' 20d per Yard
2 ps. china blue do. 8-3/4 or 9 Yards each at 2/2 per Yard
2 ps. do. same quantitys a' 2s/ per yard
[torn] ps netted Lawn for Pavillions or [M]usquito Netts - 10 Yards each ps at 10d per Yard
4 ps ditto same quantity at 12d. per Yd
1 ps plain Muslin about 20 Yds at or about 3s/ or 3s/6d per Yd
1 ps holland long lawn abt. £3 or £3.6.0.
6 fringed Diaper table Cloths a 3/10 each
6 ditto at 5/ or 5/6 each

6 clouting Diapers a 10/9 each
2 ps coarse Russia Linnen for Towells
4 doz. silk and cotton Handkercheifs
a cheap sort; I think they are called cherriderry Handkercheifs
4 doz blue & white paste work ditto at 11/9 or 12s per dozen. they are had at Pomeroys and are differently printed on each Side the Handkerchiefs
2 doz. red linnen birds eye ditto
2 doz. blue birds eye ditto
2 doz. silk Handkerchiefs 20s per dozen
2 doz do 30s per dozen
3 doz. mens white glazed Gloves at 11s per dozn
3 doz ditto's black do a' 12s.
3 doz womens white do. a' 11s/ dozen
3 doz ditto's black do. a 13s.
2 doz woms. black silk Mittens at 2/8 or 3/s per pair
2 doz. dittos. Silk Hats, chiefly black from 3/6 to 6s. each
half dozn. dittos. black silk Bonnetts of the old Fashion
12 Lb OSnabrig Thread in half pounds of 70 ozs at 14d per Lb
12 Lb do at 18d. or 19d. per Lb
4 lb different coloured do at 2/6 per Lb
4 Lb whited brown do a' 2/2
4 Lb Stiching Thread a' 3/2
4 Lb do a' 3/8
4 Lb do a' 4/6
2 Lb scots ounce Thread a' 4/6 per Lb
2 Lb do a' 6s/
2 Lb do a' 7/6
1/2 Lb do a' 20s
6 doz broad manchester Tapes at 24s per groce
2 gro scarlet star Gartering at 9s per gro
[torn] gro. birds eye do a 12/ do
6 doz dutch pretties a 5/6 per dozn
1 Lb Crewels different Colours
1 Lb light colours sewing Silk
1 gro. thread Waistcoat Buttons
2 doz mens brown Thread Stockings at 21 or 22s per dozen
[torn] doz dittos white ditto a' 32s per do
2 doz. Woms. ditto a' 22s per do
2 doz. dittos ditto a' 28s/ do
The thread Stockings sent me per the Venus are complained off as very dear bought
3 Reams good post Paper
6 Reams good fools cap do

6 Reams ordinary do
2 Reams brown paper
2 Reams whited brown
6 doz black lead Pencils
1 doz Slates a 8/6 per dozen
1 doz do a 4/6 do
6 doz slate Pencils
6 [?] lead Ink Stands with Glasses a' 2s/ each
1 [?] doz Ink Powders at 3/3 or 3/6 per doz
[torn] doz better Sort
2 doz gilt Letter Cases about 7s or 8s/ per doz
half dozn. Bibles at 2/6 each
half dozn. Testaments at 11s/ per dozen
[torn] dozn Childrens Primmers
[torn] dozn horn Books
[torn] dozn. spelling Books
half dozn. common Prayer Books about . . .
2 dozen Tin pudding Pans at 15d each
2 dozen Do a 12d. ea
2 dozen do a 10d. ea
[torn] dozen quart Tin Potts 4/6 per dozn
[torn] dozn. halfpint do at 20d. per doz
6 dozn nutmeg Graters at 6d. per dozen
4 dozn. larger do a 12d dozen
half dozn. lanthorns a 2/ or 2/1 each
half dozn. dormered Lanthorns about 2/6 or 2/8 each
4 painted sugar Boxes a' 18d each
4 do at 14d each
4 do a' 12d ea
2 doz. draw Tobacco Boxes a 4/6 per dozn
2 dozn larger do a 7/6 do
4 Nest Tin Kettles same as per Venus
4 dozn. hard mettal pewter flat Plates
2 dozn second sort do.
3 dozn hard mettal soop Plates
6 small dishes 3 Sises
4 pint pewter Basons
8 3-pint do
6 2-quart do
12 pint porrengers say 12
4 dozn. felling Axes at 30s per dozn
4 dozn broad Hoes at 17 or 17/6 per dozn
1 dozn joiners Adzes at 21/ per dozn
6 3/4 Inch Augurs

6 1 Inch Do
6 1-1/4 Inch do
6 1-1/2 Inch do
1 dozn. socket Gouges
4 large broad Axes at 3/10 each
2 dozn. pint Skillets
2 dozn. quart do
2 Grapnals about 28 Lb or o.[2].1..0 each
2 do 34 Lb or o..1..6 each
2 do 38 or o..1..10 each
10m. 20d Nails 4m. Card Tacks at 8d per [m]
10m. 10d do 4m Do at 10d per [m]
10m 5d do

Please to let the 10d and 20d Na[ils] say 6m of each be put up in boxes of 2m each. the 5d Nails may be loose in the Cask some of the Iron Ware by the Venus appears to be high charged; the Nails in particular I have seen some that Mr Nutt ship't my Neighbour Graham by same Conveyance, bought of Tappenden & Hanbey charged as follows, Vidlzt

20d. Nails at 6/1 per m
10d. do 4/3 per do
5d do 2/1-1/2 per do

yours from Crowley & Co are as under

20d Nails at 6/7
10d do a' 4/6
5d do a' 2/7

and Tho Crowleys Nails may weigh 1 Lb per m more than Tappendens, I think the difference in Cost is more than equal to the differrence in Weight and the lighter Sort of Nails will suit my purpose best

4 doz. hard shoe Brushes a' 3s per doz
1 doz. soft do or blacking do
2 doz painters Brushes sorted
6 Cloth Brushes 10s per dozn.
4 dozn. dust Brushes 3s/ per dozn.
4 dozn. fine hair sieve Bottoms
2 dozn. Rims for do
1 dozn short Tar Brushes
2 dozn. horn Spring Penknives a 2s/per dozn
2 dozn do 3/3 per dozn
[torn] dozn buck spring do 18d per do

2. Here and in many places in the manuscript is an illegible symbol of weight. It cannot be reproduced in print.

[torn - doz]n Do a 21d per do
2 dozn. Stag Cuttoes at 4/4 per dozn
2 dozn. do a' 5/ per do
2 dozen Razors a' 4/6 per do
2 dozn. Do a 9/ do
2 dozn large horse Scissars a 8/ do
2 doz. woms fine do a 9/ do
2 doz. childs metal shoe Buckles a' 2/6 per doz
2 doz. woms. white square do a 4/ do
2 doz mens Do a 4/6 do
2 doz Sailors brass do large a' 6/ per dozn
2 dozn Setts mens white wrought metal do at 8/ per dozen
2 doz. Setts dos. Steel do at 8/ per do
2 doz. Setts dos. yellow do. at 8/ or 8/9 per do
2 groce flat white mettal breast or Jacket Buttons at 19d per groce
1 doz. Spectacles in Cases at 6/6 per dozen
1 doz. do at 8/
2 doz. gun worms at 18d per dozen
2 doz. do at 14d. per do
2 doz. ponty pool Snuff Boxes a' 3/6 per dozen
2 doz. figured do a 5s/ per do
2 doz. burning Glasses a 4/ per dozen
200 sail Needles sorted a 4/ per 100
50 bolt Rope do a 8/
2 dozn Palms a' 14 or 16d. per dozn
2 lb brass knitting Needles fine sorts
12 lb 3-strand sain Twine at 10d. or 11d per Lb
6 lb 3 do casting net do at 3s per lb
6 lb do coarser at 2/6 per Lb
12 lb sewing Twine at 11d. per Lb
6 doz. bed cords a' 8s per dozn
2 doz Cod Lines at 18s per dozn
2 doz. fish Lines at 12s per do
2 doz do at 7/6 do
2 doz do at 5s do
2 . . 0 . . 0 Lb white Inch Rope
2 . . 0 . . 0 Inch & quarter tar'd do
[torn] doz. china Cups & Saucers at 4-1/2d each
4 doz do at 6d ea
4 doz do at 7d or 7-1/2d ea
I mean that a dozn Cups & Saucers shoud be 6 Cups and 6 Saucers and please to let them be midling Sizes none small
4 doz. blue & white earthen Plates at 21d. per dozn

4 doz. ditto about 2s/6d per dozn
4 doz. do 3/6 per do
4 dishes at 15d each
4 do a' 10d ea
4 do a' 8d ea
6 Bowls at 15s per dozn.
6 do at 8s per do
6 do at 5s per do
6 do at 3/6 per do
12 white Chamber Potts at 5s per dozn
12 blue & white stone do at 7s do
2 dozn white stone quart Mugs say 2 dozn.
2 dozn black do
2 doz. white quart Tea Potts
2 doz. large ditto at 8s per dozn. black
2 doz. black sugar dishes at 6s per dozen
2 doz. do milk Potts at 3s or 3s/6d per do
6 doz. white stone Tea Cups & Saucers
4 doz. handle Cans at 8d. per dozn
2 doz. wine Glasses at 2/6 per dozn
2 doz. do at 3s/ per do
2 doz do at 5s. do
2 doz Tumblers at 5/6 do
half dozen quart Decanters with Stoppers
half dozen pint do with do.
2 doz Fans at 7 or 7/6 per doz
2 doz do at 10/ per do
[torn] doz do at 18/ per do
8 Ps. 9/4ths. flanders bed Ticks at 16s/6d each
4 Ps. 10/4ths ditto at 21s each
The above Prices on board
1 Ps. Ticking to cut into Bolsters & Pillows about 14d per Yard
1 doz knitt worsted Patterns for Breeches. let 8 of them be black & 4 red & of a good Sort
2 brown Fustians about 19s per ps
2 Ps. do. olive coloured at 30s. or 34s per piece
1 Ps. dyed Jeans. about 50s per piece
1 doz Corn or meal Sacks at 2s/ each
1 ps. Sacking - same kind
6 ps. brown Roles or about 220 Ells at 4-1/2d per Ell on board.
1m Needles for darning Stockings
500 Glovers ditto sorted
12 mens hunting Saddles say 1 dozen at 16s/9 or 17s each

1 doz pr Housing at 6s. or 6s/4d per pr
2 doz. snaffle Bridles - about 21s. per dozen
1 doz. copper Tea Kettles same shape as per Venus & chiefly large Sizes

Please to add to the Haberdashery

2 gro. manchester Tapes at 16s per gro
8 doz. Holland do a' 9s per doz
12 groce horn mold thread shirt Buttons at 18d. per groce
6 gro wired do
6 doz bobbins at 2/2 per doz

And to the Hosiery

2 doz mens brown thread Hose at 30s. per doz
2 doz mens good white thread Hose at or about 40 [torn off]
8 groce narrow 4d. Ribbon of different Colours at 16s per gro
8 doz figured Do at 6s/ per doz
4 doz of which as per Sample & the other the newest Fashion and to the Pewter
2 doz quart Tea Pots at
2 ps. white sattin Ribbon
2 ps. white doub. Ribbon at 13/6 per ps
2 ps. single do at 9/6 per ps.

I wou'd if possible have the foregoing Goods sent me per two Conveyances and as there are a Number of Articles that cannot be divided so as to come equally in two Bottoms as in the Articles Dowlas Irish Linnens & Checks where only 3 pieces of a Price are mentioned, I wou'd in this Case have 2 pieces of a Price come in one Vessel & one Ps of a price in another and in respect to all other Articles that by reason of the small Quantitys ordered they cannot admit of a Division I leave it entirely to your Discretion to send them in such manner as may be attended with the least Inconveniency to yourself. I intend to ship nothing 'till the coming Fall but hope very soon to make you a remittance of something considerable in Bills on your City.

I am Sir &ca

4 doz best cawkin Pins at 12s/ per dz
4 doz best whites a 7/6
4 doz lilikins a 6/
4 doz country cawkin do. a 9/6
4 doz do. smaller a 7s
4 doz do. smaller a 5s/
4 Nests red gilt Trunks
6 large netted Umbrelloes about 8 or 9s. each

8 pair Womens Stays
8 pair Girls do
at midling Prices and of different Sizess
6 doz Boys felt Hatts at 8s. per doz
4 doz mens do a 14s. per doz
4 doz do a 16s. per dozn
1 gro. horn Combs at 12/ per groce
6 doz. buckling do at 3/6 per doz
2 ps. black sattin Ribbon
2 ps. black 10d Ribbon double a 12s per ps
[torn] ps. 10d do single a 8/6 per ps.
please likewise to add to the Ironmongery
12 doz hand saw Files at 20d per dozn.
2 doz X cut saw do at 3/2
2 doz better do at 3/9
2 doz pit saw Files at 3/9
2 doz do at 5s.
12 doz good small Nail Gimbletts sorted
6 doz. larger Do sorted
1 doz heading Chissells 5/4 per doz.
2 doz bright short Firmirs 3/4 and 1 Inch at 2/9 per doz
1 . . 0 . . 0 frying Pans sorted
1 dozn. grid Irons - 3 Sizes
1 doz Curry Combs at 7/6 per doz.
1 doz chest Hinges at 9s
1 doz do 6/6 } per dozn
1 doz do 4/6 }
1 doz Table Hinges with Screws at 4/8 per doz
1 doz do larger at 5/3

Please to let Callicoes lively Patterns & as little yellow in em as possible, a doz of the Womens silk Hatts about 3/6 each may be all black & the other dozen at 6s. must be flowered and of other Colours.

Mr. John Smith

Sir Mr. Bishop delivered me your Lre of the 3d Instant with the sundry Articles you mention. I hope to have the Account of them soon. Mr. Pruniere tells me he cannot comply with your Request in either case. I really dont know what to think of him now after so many Failures of promise. I intend to push him very closely for Payment in some Shape or other as I'me apprehensive his Delays may be attended with Danger. If you have not engaged any Cutlery for us, omit it entirely as I soon expect some from Mr Thomson but if you

have any white and brown Edinburghs to spare, Should be if you could send me 2 Ps. each per the first opportunity.

I am Sir
Your most hble Servant
Thomas Rasberry

Mr Bishop has taken the whole of your Sugar for which Mr Vincent is paid the Cost at Vendue and the Duty is also engaged.

Mr Brabant
Dr Sir I have credited your Account with £28 received per Mr. Cormiere, and have sent you as you desire one bag Coffee and 2 samples sugar, no 3 cost 18/6 per 100 lb and no 10, 15s/6d besides the Duty of about 4/6 per 100 lb the Coffee has not been paid for, as I purchased that of Mr. Maxton who bought the whole Lott. I believe it will be about 22s or 22/6 per 100 lb. As to the Sugars you may have a Rice Barrel of each if you please (which is one hogshead) or you may have the whole of No 3, which was bought for you, just as you think best, it shall lay till you come down. The Coffee weighs 118, 2 lb allowed for the Bag makes 116 lb. I am Sir Your most Humble Servant

Thomas Rasberry

Savannah
August 9: 1758

PS. To Wm Thomsons Lre 13th July
I had almost forgot to desire you to send me with the foregoing Two peices english printed or flowered Cottons. I never yet imported any and am told they contain four Womans Gowns each peice, please to let one peice be at about 2/4 per yard and the other peice about 3s. handsome Patterns and good Colours

Mr. Josiah Smith per Talbert
Sir I wrote you a Line the 25th. Ulti[m]o per Jacob Berrier and enclosed you £20.15/ your Currency which I hope you've received together with a Cask of Bees wax sent you per same Conveyance. Youl find under Cover of this fifty Pounds more in your paper Money to be placed to my Credit and I must beg the Favour of you to get the Silver Watch mended which Talbert will give you and Charge the cost of Mending. In your next please to notice the number of maps you've carried to my Credit and whether you have a prospect

of disposing of the whole Number I am Sir Your most humble Servant

Thomas Rasberry

Savannah
August 2d: 1758

per Joiner

Mr. Josiah Smith I received your Lre of the 2d Inst. with the Sundrys you mention amounting to £304.10/ your Currency which are all approved of. I shall be quite obliged to you to get the Bees Wax melted down in the manner you propose and let the Gentleman have it at the price offerred. I'me much hurried at present and have only time to request you to forward the enclosed Letters for London, as they [are cop]ies of each other. I must beg of you to take care that 2 of [them] Directed to one person does not go in one Ship but by different Conveyances I can only add at present that I am Sir

Your most Humble Servant
Thomas Rasberry

Savannah
August 9th 1758

Savannah August 12th: 1758

Messieurs John & Ulric Tobler I received your Letter of the 7th. Instt. by Mr Meyers and agreeable to your Desire have sent you the Sundry Articles as per Bill enclosed amounting to £31.12.2¼ Sterling.

I have no white negro Cloth nor Duffills or Linseys at present but expect them to come in very shortly, when you shall be supplyed; however, as I understood you wanted the OSnabrigs very much I bought the 3 ps. of Irish sent you of Mr Graham at the Price charged tho' I think it a little too high, but mine was all gone. I observe what you say concerning the Organ but I'me afraid it cannot be sold here, as our Parish is very Poor. I received the Butter & Beef Skins & Bees Wax, I dont know what to say about Bees Wax, I shall lose considerably by the Wax lately received of you the Gentleman I sent it too in Charlestown says its chiefly very bad. It's impossible to get any Rum here at 3s/ per Gallon; mine cost me 20s per gallon in Charlestown besides Freight &ca. Ime glad you are quit of the small Pox; we have not had it here. you'l observe that I charge only 50 or 10½ per Cent on the Goods, the same as the last and am Gentlemen

Your most obedient Servt
T R

Lieutenant White Outerbridge

Savannah Augst. 12th. 1758

Sir I have sent you per the Bearer a Cask Sugar Wt 370 Lb; at 30s.

per Ct £5.11.0 and have received from Messrs. Harris & Habersham £4.12.10¼ Stg for your Account. I make no doubt but the Sugar will meet your Aprobation and as I Presume the above Gentlemen, in their enclosed Letter, have made myself known to you, I have only to add that if [you] Please to favour me with your future Commands they'l be executed with the greatest Punctuality and on the best Terms by

Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
T R

To Mr Brabant We have now sent you the Tea by one of the French accadians who enquired about it (I presume by Order) and also a Tea Kettle as near the Price as possible and under this you have the Charge of both. we are very well satisfied in regard to the Trunk and as to Chintz you rightly observe that only one piece is charged instead of two pieces, which we found out in examining our Book. The Coffee you mention in the prize its said to be much damaged but as to the Sugar you may depend on our getting you some if reasonable and also some Coffee if it proves good & at a low Rate.

I am Sir yours &cra

56 lb Tea, cost 3s.1d at 4s/7½d per lb
1 Tea Kettle wt 3 lb. 8 oz cost 2s/4d at 3s/6d per lb

Mr Josiah Smith

Savannah Augt. 16th: 1758

Sir You have enclosed Mr Thomas Hoopers Note to Thomas Vincents 29th Ulto for £16.9.6 Sterling, its payable at six Weeks but if you could get Mr Hooper to take it up so as it may come into the Account you send me I should be glad. You have also £25 your Currency under cover to be passed to my Credit, and I must beg of you to send me one hogshead of Rum by Talbert or any other Vessel that clears at your Offices and that is coming here soon. If there is no such opportunity offers at present, Please to send it per the Bearer together with 6 pr mens fine cotton Stockings rather less than a midling size and one ounce cotton Thread (If readily to be got) suitable for the Stockings. I must again trouble you to forward the enclosed Letters for England; the Two for Mr Thomson are Copies of the three sent you 9th. Inst. per Joyner and please to forward them by different Vessels; those also to Mr Lloyd and Mrs. Nickleson must go by different Conveyances. I hope Capt. Tucker is [pre]-

paring for Sailing as I find a number of Vessels are already gone down to your Road for that purpose

I am Sir yours &cra

Samuel Lloyd Esqr.

Savannah Augst. 16th: 1758

Sir I am favoured with yours of the 23d & 28th. February last but cannot for want of time reply to them now this serves only to advise you that Mr Clifton has not made any satisfaction for his Debt to you and is jest embarking (together with his Family) for Europe; he comes in a dutch Ship called the Princess Caroline Jurgen Rupke Commander for Amsterdam and has promised to pay you in London; he is greatly embarrassed here and as there was not the least Probability of recovering a farthing from him on this side I thought it proper to give you the earliest Advice of his returning home that you may apply to him on his Arrival

I am Sir yours &cra

Savannah Augst. 31st. 1758

Mr Nathaniel Polhill Mr. Nicholas Hayner requests that you'l please to acquaint him whether you have purchased or have any Prospect of purchasing the Negroes he some Time agoe spoke to you about. There is a Parcel of Slaves expected here shortly for Sale and if he cannot conveniently get them from you he wou'd endeavour to supply himself here

I am

Sir &cra

Samuel Lloyd Esqr.

New Grace, Carr, Bristol
2 Brothers, Yates, London
Noble Galley, Manchester, ditto

Savannah Georgia the 12th September 1758

Sir I wrote you a Line the 16 Ulto. in order to apprize you of Mr Attorney Cliftons return to England that you might have recourse to him as soon as possible as we found it morally impracticable to do anything with him here in your Affair. And under Cover of this you have the first of two Setts Bills Exchange on yourself together amounting to Two hundred fifty one Pounds eight Shill[ings] and four pence three farthings sterling which I apprehend will meet no difficulty on being passed to the Credit of my Account with you Namely

Harris & Habershams first Bill to William Russell
dated the 18th. April last for 182.0.0

Jonathan Bryan & William Russells first ditto to
me dated the 31st. last March 69.8.4-¾

———————

£251.8.4-¾

I notice (by your Favour of the 23d. Feb.) that you have finally adjusted the Adventure per Charming Martha with the Insurers and that on the whole it stands agreable to the Account you transmitted me, according to which I'me to govern myself here with all concerned in said Adventure, which I'me glad that I am now enabl'd to do, and hope that your next will bring me a Determination of the Affair by Lesslie as you say (the 9th March last) the Accot. Sales &ca were then before the Insurers for their Answer which you daily expected.

It's a long Time since I heard from Mr Rae in regard to the Ballance due you from R & B; his answer to what I wrote him concerning it was that he had furnished Mr Stead in Charles Town with the Means to discharge it which Mr Habersham thinks has been done and that your next will confirm it, as I hope it will. I make no doubt but you have made the Insurance on the sundry Goods consigned you by the Mary Ann Capt. Tucker from Charles Town who sailed with sundry other Vessels from thence about a fortnight ago under Convoy of the Blandford and Winchelsea M Warr; you did right in accepting the Payment of the Bill on Mr Albinus in the manner you mention rather than to have returned it and I kindly thank you for your Tenders of future Service and am glad to find that (by what you say on this Head) my Application to Mr Thomson was agreable to you from whom I have received one parcel of Goods and daily expect in another. I shoud be very glad to receive my Account Current up to any Period of Time that may be convenient and am Sir Mr William Thomason

New Grace, Carr, Bristol
Two Brothers, Yates, London
Noble Galley, Manchester, ditto
Phoebe, Bennett } Liverpool
Hardman, Jordan }

Savannah Georgia Septembr. 13th. 1758

My last which was the 13th. July contained an Order for sundry Goods for my next summers Sale which I make no doubt you'l comply whith, if it comes safe to hand. The present serves chiefly to enclose you the first of the following Bills Exchange & two certificates on the Pay Master General of the Army amounting in the whole to Two hundred forty six Pounds sixteen shillings and eleven pence halfpenny Sterling Namely:

Govr. Ellis's first Bill to me on Benj. Martin dated 9th.Ulto. for	£60.0.0
dos do to Bartho. Zouberbuhler on do same Date	50.0.0
Bartho Zouberbuhler's do. to me on Edwd. Pearson 5th. last June	50.0.0
Jos Ottolenghe's do to me on do 25th do . . .	15.0.0
dos do to me on the Revd. Mr. Waring same date .	25.0.0
Noble Jone's's do to me on Jams. Fitter 3d July last	23.8.0
Govr. Ellis's Certificate on the Pay Master Genl. to John Milledge dated the 31st January last	12.10.8-¾
Dittos do on do same date	10.18.2-¾
	£246.16.11½

When the foregoing are Paid you'l please to pass the amount to my Credit, and I shortly expect to send another Draft or two on your City, together with what Indico &c. I may receive the present Fall of which youl have notice to ensure. I am Sir

Your's &cra

PS. you have also enclosed a Certificate from our Custom House of the landing the Chest Tea received per the Venus Cecil.

Mr Josiah Smith Junr.

Savannah September 12th. 1758

Sir I am favoured whith your's of the 29 Ulto with my Accot. Current, the Ballance of which £655.13.4½ your money appears to be right, and I expect to remit it you in a very few Days together with a considerable Surplus perhaps it may be by the present conveyance if I'me not disappointed. I thank you for your remark on the Bees Wax and observe that Mr Hoopers Note is not yet accounted for. I notice also what you say concerning Mr Debrahms Maps, I apprehend a second advertisement may be needless, as it may be suppos'd that the Majority of the Subscribers have been already apprized of their being in your Hands, and tho' I am apt to think with you that some of them may be prejudiced as to the Performances yet I am of Oppinion that the Gentlemen subscribers ought in point of equity to receive them (as the Work is) because the Performer, incited by the Subscriptions, has run himself to a very great expence in getting them engraved and Printed in London.

I notice Capt. Tucker's Departure under Convoy and am content at the Freight, as it's what is paid to others. I am glad you put two

of my Letters in the M. War as they were of some consequence and I now make bold to trouble you with several Others which you'l please to forward by three Different Conveyances just as they are tyed up you'l find also a packet directed to one of the Kings German Chaplains, which I must beg of you to request the Captain to whom 'its Delivered not to put it into any Post Office at any out Ports, but at some penny Post Office in or near London, this Caution youl Observe only respects some London Vessel. I shall heartily be glad to hear of the Confirmation of the good News you mention and am Sir your's &ca

NB the Above Lres are 3 to Thomson and 3 to Lloyd made up in 3 parcels.

Mr. Josiah Smith per Mr. Henry Yonge

Savannah Septembr. 16th. 1758

Sir You have also with this a few Lines wrote you the 12th. Instant, and I now enclose you John & James Grahams Order on Mesrs. Smith & Brewton for one hundred Pounds Sterling this date in favour of Elliott & Gordon - when 'its paid you'l pass the amount to my Credit and if Mr Yonge (the Bearer) shoud want about Two hundred Pounds your Currency please to supply him and charge it to account of Sir yrs &ca

PS. I expect in a few days to send you another Draft for a larger Sum. The revd. Mr Bolzius is continually writing me to procure him a Receipt from Mr John Edwards of your Town for £20.2.6 your Money that I enclosed him the 31. Decemb 1757 per Talbert. I have wrote to Mr Edwards once or twice about it but can get no Answer, please therefore to procure one from him if he recd. the Money, and send it me.

Mr. Josiah Smith

Savannah Septr. 22d. 1758

Sir My last was the 16th. Instant which I hope you have receiv'd, and in which I forgot to mention that I hourly expect in a parcel of Goods from Mr Thomson and have great Reason to think that they'l come your Way, shou'd it so happen, I must beg of you to get some careful Person to receive them for me as it may happen your own Affairs may prevent your doing it yourself. I made bold to order them to your Care and if there's an Appearance of any considerable Damage on the Packages please to open the Letters that may come with the Goods to have recourse to the Invoice, if a survey may be thought necessary

I have a good Bill on New York for £136. Sterling, please to acquaint me whether it wou'd suit you or any of your Friends?

I am &cr

Mr John Smith

Savannah Octobr. 3d. 1758

Sir I have your Favour of the 29th Ulto. but have not yet received the 2 ps. OSnabrig you mention as they were carried to your Plantation but expect them to Day or tomorrow. We are sadly disappointed in respect to our Goods from Mr Thomson, the Woollens in particular are now very much wanted and as you propose to be soon in Charls Town we must beg of you to enquire of Mr Josiah Smith Junr. whether we have any Goods arrived in any of they Vessels that Mr Groves mentions as just coming in, and in case there is none for us, we must request you to send us per first Opportunity about 400 Yds of good white Plains 100 Yds good Blue ditto and two ps. Duffil Blanketts. We want no other Articles at present as we may reasonably expect that it cannot be long before our Goods arrives & we are certain several of our Orders must have reached Mr Thomson in Time. Mr Russel will acquaint you of Mr Maxton's Journey to the Soward; when he returns I shall Endeavour to prevail on him to take up his Note. Should there be anything come in for us please to Desire Mr Smith to send them up by first Opportunity, the Woollens especially and in this Case you may Omit purchasing any for us in Charles Town as we shall then have sufficient. I am Sir

Your's &cra

Savannah Octor 3d. 1758

Mr John Smith

Savannah Octr. 10th. 1758

Sir. I wrote you the 3d Instant to send me 500 yards Plains and 2 ps. Duffills, which I must now beg you to omit sending [the] Persons for whom it was intended cannot wait any longer for it and they'l get supply'd here as a large Quantity is just come up from Charles Town. Should this meet you at the Indian Land, I should be very glad if you cou'd acknowledge the Receipt of it immediately that I may be certain of its having reached you in Time.

I am Sir your's &cra

We are afraid neither of us shall be able to purchase any Indico for you on the Terms you mention as several Planters have already refused selling at 3s/9d

Savannah October

Mr Josiah Smith

Savannah October 23d: 1758

Sir. I have your Favour of the 4th: Inst. and the Sundry Articles therein mentioned per Talbert please to put by for me two hhds Rum, to send by him when he returns to your Town, if it may be debenture Rum it will be so much the better. Tis said there are Sundry European Vessells arrived with you within a few Days past, if so 'its probable my Goods are in some of 'em (as I expect a parcel from Bristol as well as those from Mr Thomson) and as the Bearer, Adam Crawdy, has promised to take in as much as he can for me, I must beg you to deliver him as many of the Woollens as he says he can carry, I presume they may be readily distinguish'd by the Packages, if not, please to open my Letters to have recourse to the Invoices. Mr Hooper desires his Note to remain a short Time longer with you to which I consented. I shall write you a Line per Talbert and am in the Interim Yours &cr

Samuel Lloyd Esqr per the Phebe - Bennett } Liverpool
Hardman - Jordan }
Knowles - Brooking - Bristol

Savannah Georgia November 1st. 1758

Sir I have your Favours of the 22d. & 26th: May last both now before me, together with my Account Currt: brought up to the 24th May the Ballance 257.18.9 appears to be right, except the 20 Sola Bills per Thomson, which, in my Opinion, ought to have been carried to my Credit, and if hereafter they might appear in the Manner you sometime agoe mentioned, and you obliged to pay 'em, I shou'd then be accountable to you for their Amount, but of this I shall give you my Sentiments more fully in future. I notice you've Insured the Sundrys consigned you per the Mary Anne Tucker from Charlestown, and also the Manner in which you have effected it; i. e. Conditionally with return of Prems. which I also think (as you do) is rather preferable, in the present Time than an absolute Warrantry of Convoy, tho, you will have learnt that the Mary Anne departed with Convoy for the Voyage, which intitles us to a Return. I am induced to think that you've been misinformed in Regard to the Quality of the Indico per Lesslie, because I know a great part of it was good, and had we been lucky enough to have sold it in England (instead of Guernsey) it would have proved by far more lucrative both for us as well as the ReCaptors for besides the Differrence in its Sales (as I imagine there may be but few Purchasers there) had it come to England a great Part of it must have obtained the Bounty, tho' I'me really not clear

by your Letter whether that Advantage may or may not be yet obtained tho' I apprehend the latter, however, I'me satisfyed you consulted my Interest in that Event, which has turned out better than I expected when I first heard of the Capture. The News of Governor Ellis's suceeding Mr Reynolds in the chief Command of this Province was Matter of Joy, I presume, to most of our Inhabitants, and as our Arms have been very successful this Campaign on the Continent, I hope we have little to fear from the Enemy. The Reduction of Louisbourgh with the Loss of their Men of War in that Harbour - The taking and demolishing Fort Frontenac on the Lakes (a Place of great Importance to our Indian Affairs) must certainly greatly distress them in these Parts and I hope may be the means of bringing about a safe and lasting Peace [I a]m very glad to learn the recovery of your Health and notice what you say concerning the dividing my Orders for Goods between you and Mr Thomson, and altho' I'me in a Manner engaged with him yet I cannot think he'l take amiss my desiring you to ship me the few Articles herein contained - tho' he writes me very kindly and has recommended me to his Bristol Correspondents for such Goods as I may want from that City, however, I must request you to send me by the earliest Opportunity after the Receipt hereof the following under Insurance. Vizt.

10m. 20d Nails - 10m. 10d Nails let 6m each of the above be done up in Bags of 2m each
10m. 6d Nails - 20m. 5d. rose heads do. -
20m. 4d. do. let about one half the above be in bags of 6m Each
1m. 3d. clout Nails
1m. 4d do - 1m. 6d. do. 1m 8d. do
2m Scupper Nails
1 . . 0 . . 0 24d. Nails - 1 . . 0 . . 0 30d. do
1 . . 0 . . 0 deck do - 1 . . 0 . . 0 Sheathing do
1 doz. large round plated Bolts for doors
4 doz. Smaller do. for Shutters
2 doz. common large Iron Bolts for Gates to fix on with Staples
4 doz. smaller do for Shutters or small doors
6 large Carpenters claw Hammers - a good sort
6 smaller do. - 6 smaller do
1 dozn. shingling Hammers
6 whites hand Saws - a good sort
4 pannel Saws
4 tennant Saws
6 good X cut Saws 7 ft. long
6 Steell Corn Mills a good sort
2 doz. narrow Hoes - at 15s or 16s. per dozn

2 doz. hand saw Setts at 2/ per doz
2 doz. pint Iron Skilletts
2 doz. quart do
2 doz box marking Irons to mark Rice Barrels
4 doz Carpenters Compasses.
2 doz. dittos Iron Squares.
1 doz. Cow Bells
2 doz. horse do
2 doz. Wool Cards at 15/ per doz
2 doz. cotton do at 20s/ do
1 doz. HL Hinges at 12s. doz
1 doz do at 16s/.
1 doz do at 20/
2 doz X Garnet do at 4/6 per doz
2 doz do at 6/6
2 doz do at 9s/
1 doz do at 14s/
2 doz side or H Hinges a 2/6 per doz
2 doz do at 3/
2 doz do at 4/6
2 doz do at 7/
2 doz. dove tail Hinges at 2/6 per doz
2 doz do at 3s/
2 doz do at 4/
1 doz. Thumb Latches for Doors.
1 doz. common do with Rings or Handes to turn up
1 doz. common Iron Candlesticks
2 doz. Twisted Hooks with Staples for window Fastnings
1 doz. large do. 10 and 12. Inches long
4 doz. Fire Steels at 9d. per doz
4 doz do at 16d. do
4 doz. Hasps and Staples sorted
1 doz. rim'd closet Locks at 11/ per doz
1 doz do at 15/
1 doz do at 18/
1 gro. ½ Inch wood Screws 10d per Groce
1 gro: ¾ Inch do at 12d
1 gro: 1 Inch do at 15d
1 gro: 1½ Inch do at 22d
2 gro sorted Aul Blades at 21d per gro
2 doz. pegging Aul do 8d per doz
6 doz. Aul Handles
1 doz. boys shoe lasts sorted

1 doz. mens dos do
1 doz. womens dittos do
1 doz. girls dittos do
1 doz. flat & half round Rasps
6 pair knippers at 4d ea
3 pair Pincers at 1/
3 pair do at 1/2
4 pair neat round joint Tongs & Fire Shovels at 4/9 per pr.
6 Tin Kitchens or Ovens - 2 Sizes
6 one Pound tin Canisters
6 two Pound do
1 doz. large flat Candlesticks
1 doz. smaller do
4 doz. half pint tin Pots
1 doz ½ Gallo Funnels
2 doz ½ pint tin Saucepans
2 doz. pint do
2 doz. quart do
1 doz. tin Tea Kettles } 2 Sizes
1 doz Coffee Potts }
1 doz. tin Slices at 1/9
1 doz do at 3/
1 doz. tinder Boxes with Candlestick
½ doz. Cullenders
1 doz. Pannekins with wood handles
6 quart pewter Tankards with Lids or Covers
6 pint do with do
1 gro. hard mettal Table Spoons
1 gro Tea do
2 doz. quart Tea Potts
4 pewter Cullenders - 2 Sizes
4 large copper Coffee Potts
4 smaller do
4 smaller do
3 copper Saucepans at 3/6 each
3 do at 4/ or 4/6 each
2 large copper Tea Kettles
2 smaller do
2 smaller do
½ doz brass flat Candlesticks of a midling size
1 doz. brass Snuffers at 11/ per doz
½ doz. brass Tinder Boxes

½ doz. Pepper Boxes
6 Tea Table hand Bells
6 bell mettall pestles & Mortars - 2 Sizes
1 pair copper deep Scales with Chains about 20 or 21s. Cost
[1] Sett brass Weights from 4 lb to ¼ lb

I would have the foregoing Tea [Kettles] to be a light thin Sort that they may be sold cheaper than others of the same Sizes

6 hand Coffee Mills round - a good Sort
6 do. square with Draws
2 doz. thrum Mops
6 doz. Sieve rims
4 doz. womens Straw Hatts a cheap Kind
2 doz. do - better
2 doz. Girls do
25 lb. Thrums for Tar Mops
2 doz. hair Brooms 11s per doz
2 doz staves or handles for do
½ doz hearth Brushes with turn'd painted Handles
2m. small fish Hooks at 3/ per 1000
2m. do 4/ per 1000
1m. do 5/
1m. do 6/
4000. sorted Needles
4 doz. mens felt Hatts at 12/ per doz
4 doz. do at 16/
2 doz. boys do 12/
1 Chest good bohea Tea
1 . . 0 . . 0 black Pepper if it can be purchased on equal Terms with a larger Quantity if not send more.
3 . . 0 . . 0 single refined Sugar in small hard Loaves = 28 lb brown Sugar Candy
28 lb Carraway Seeds
12 lb fig Blue 18d per Lb
1 doz. girls white thread Stockings for girls of 8 and 10 Years old
1 doz. smaller do. for 4 or 5 Years
1 doz. childrens do
1 doz. boys ditto for Boys of 8 or 10 Years old
1 doz. ditto for 4 or 5 Years
2 doz. womens white cotton Mittens a good sort
1 doz. girls do
1 ps good spotted Lawn
1 ps. fine flowered ditto

1 ps. for pattern for 2 Gowns (of printed India Chintz Dimmity good Colours & a Handsome Pattern

1 ps. black crape
1 ps. black Alamode } for Hatbands
1 ps. white Sarsnett } & Scarfs

1 ps. good black Taffety for Mens waistcoats &ca
6 ps. blue OSnabrig about 25 Yds each
6 ps. good Nankeens
3 Womens black flowered Capuchins a good sort
3 dittos do cheaper
½ lb. good black sewing Silk
1 lb. good, red, blue, white & green do say only one pound in the whole
2 lb. Wafers
2 lb. good sealing Wax, let one lb. be in small sticks
½ Ream blue Paper, same kind as the ounce threads are done up in
2 Reams cartridge Paper
4 doz pair Hinges with Hooks at 4/6 per doz
4 doz do at 6/6
4 doz do at 9s.
2 doz do a 14s.
½ doz do a 20s.
1 gro: narrow silk Ferret of different Colours
1 ps. double purple Ribbon a 13/6 per ps
1 ps. scarlet in grain do a 14s.
2 ps Cambrick about 23s each
2 ps do about 27s
2 ps do at 30/ or 31s. each

I shall be glad that youl expedite the foregoing Goods so that they may be here as early in the coming Spring as possible; if they come into Charles Town please to consign them to Mr Josiah Smith Junr. but if to Beaufort youl address them to Mr John Gordon Mercht. there except any Opportunity may offer directly here which will be the more preferable and as it's probable I may have something from Mr Thomson by same Conveyance, Just for the sake of distinguishing the Packages please to mark yours thus L
T. R

I particularly notice your Addenda under the 26 May last, and you may be assured of every Thing in my Power to serve you in R & Bs. Affair, provided my Information from Mr Rae Junr. is not Just who assured me that Mr Stead had made the promised Remittance by the last Convoy from Charlestown and of which you been

acquainted and indeed both myself and your other Friends here have Reason to think that it has been done, but in order to be fully satisfyed in the Affair I shall immediately write to a Friend of mine in Charlestown (and an Acquaintance of Mr Steads) to make the Enquiry and shoud it prove otherwise than we expect, every practicable Means will be used to procure you Satisfaction. Ive already advised you of Mr Cliftons Departure and that his affairs were so circumstanced her[e] that there was not the least probability of obtaining a farthing from him or even the Shadow of a Security for your Debt but I hope he'l have Honesty enough agreable to his Promise to make you ample Amends in England.

I am Sir

Mr. Cornelius Cook

Sir I have now the satisfaction to enclose you your Account with me (as Ive been lately furnished with the Accounts of the Indicoe shipt in the Charming Martha Capt Thomson) and by which you'l find Contrary, I presume, to what you expected, that you have gained between £4 and £5 Sterling more than what you valued your Indico at here which I was heartily glad to see and was intirely owing to my Correspondents prudent Management with the Insurers and Officers for the Bounty which he luckily obtained notwithstanding the Indico Certificate from hence never got to Hand.

The Ballance of the enclosed Account £18.17.6-3/4 in your Favour Messrs. John & Ulrick Tobler will pay you, as, agreeable to your Order, the same is now placed to their Credit with me, and of which I've acquainted them accordingly. I am glad we are so agreeably Disappointed in our Expectations of this Adventure, and am Sir

Yours &cra

Savannah Novemb 16th. 1758

John & Ulrick Tobler Savannah Nov. 20th. 1758

I have Delivered Mr Shanols all the Articles mentioned in the within Account amounting to £74.19.1½ Sterling which I wish safe to your Hands Mr. Smith writes me that all the Woollens were Shipt before you got down to Charles To. so that you got none of them I have received all the German Almanacks and beg you to get me as much clear hard Tallow as possible you can

I am Sir Yours &cra

To Lieut White Outerbrige Savannah Nov. 20th: 1758

I have your Favour of the 11th Septemr last enclosing 20s/ Sterlg which I've passed to your Credit. I cannot find any leaf Tobacco in this place at present thats either good or reasonable else Should

have sent you the Qty Desired. Rum is exceeding Dear & Scarce both here and in Charles To. my Correspondent there (who is one of the principal Dealers in that Article) writes me within these few Days it is got up to 30s/ your Currency per Gallon by the hogshead, and its likely to rise higher unless a Supply arrives soon from the W. Indies.

I am Sir Yours &cra

Mr. John Smith

Dr Sir/ I shall shortly have about 3000 lb. Indico to ship Mr Thomson but propose to send none unless under Convoy. I should therefore be very Glad to know whet[her you] intend to Ship any thing to said Gentleman by any Vessel that may wait the expected Convoy, and if you do that you'd please to engage the Freight of mine and Favour me with the Ship & Masters Name that I may send away my Letters for Insurance as Speedily as possible. Capt Cecil sails for London the middle of next Month, if you have any Commands per him Please to send 'em in Time. Mr Pruniere tells me as soon as our river rises he expects 40,000 Staves to send to Charles To. on Acct of the Rice sold him, I hope he'l not disappoint us

I am Sir Yours &cra

Phoebe - Bennett } Liverpool
Jordan - Hardman }
Knowles - Brooking - Bristol

Mr William Thomson Savannah Georgia December 4th. 1758.

Sir/ In mine of the 13th Septembr. last (which contained sundry Bills Ex. &ca to the amount of £246.16.11½ Sterling) I promised to make you another Remittance in Bills and Indico and under Cover of this youl find the first of the following Setts of Bills on your City amounting to Two hundred and Ten Pounds 10/ 2½ Sterling which when paid youl pass to the Credit of my Account Namely

*Govr. Ellis's first Bill on Ellis & Fivey to the revd. Mr. Bolzius dated the 29 Septr. last for . . .	40.0.0
Dittos Do on Do to John Flerl same date	40.0.0
Jas. Habersham & Jos. Ottolenghes do. on John Goodchild Esqr. to Wm Russell dated 23 Octobr. last	87.15.11
John Gordons do. on Benj Martyn to David Douglass dated the 24th last June	11.10.0
Govr. Ellis's do. on do. in my Favour da 22d Ulto . .	19.15.0½
Revd Mr. Bolzius's do. on Revd. Mr Broughton to Russell & Rasberry da. 12th. Septr. last	11.9.3
	£210.10.2½

I have likewise a fine Parcel of Indico to ship you amounting to about £600 Sterling, and as it must go under Convoy from Charles Town I have desired our Friend Mr John Smith (who has lately removed there) to engage the Freight of it that I may write you to insure as speedily as possible, and I hope that my Letters for that purpose may soon reach your hands.

Your Favour of the 13th June I've received with another from Devonshier Reeve & Lloyd of Bristol together with Sundry Goods from said Gentlemen in Virtue of your kind Recommendation. I heartily thank you for this Instance of your Friendship and you may be assured of my best Endeavours always to make both you & them such Remittances as shall leave no manner of Room for Complaint

My Friend Mr Lloyd has lately transmitted me my Acct. Currt. with him from whence it appears by some late Consignments I've made him that he will be something considerable in my Debt, and as I'me unwilling to draw the Ballance out of his hands I have desired him to ship me a few Articles for the same that were not comprized in my last Order to you

I have been sadly disappointed as to the timely Arrival of the expected Goods from you and hope for the future to receive 'em more seasonably.

I am Sir Yr. most hble Servt

*P. S. Instead of Governor Ellis's Bill on Ellis's & Fivey to Mr Bolzius for £40 as mentioned in the foregoing I have enclosed you said Bolzius's first Bill on Thomas Broughton in my favour dated the 1st. Ulto for £50 Sterling which makes the amount of this present Remittance Two Hundred Twenty Pounds ten Shillings and 2½d Sterling.

Mr. John Smith Savannah Decr. 8th. 1758

Sir I have your Favour of the 16th November and thank you for making the Enquiry of Mr Stead. Mr Gordon (now at the Southwd.) has with him Mr Maxtons Note but its said by several that Maxton himself will be here in a few Days, when all that can shall be done to obtain the Payment shoud Mr Gordon not succeed in it. I notice what you say about Rice. I expect about 60 or 70 barrels this Month which I propose to let you have in Payment at the Cost if agreeable, but I apprehend more than 50/ will be demanded for it as I'me told that some here has already sold at £3. I wrote you a short Time agoe to engage freight for about 3000 lb Indico that I intend to ship Mr Thomson on board some Vessel that goes under the expected

Convoy from Chas Town, and to acquaint me with the Ship and Masters Name that I may write for Insurance perhaps you also may have somewhat to ship him by some such Vessell and I shoud be glad that mine may go with yours, therefore your speedy Answer will be very acceptable to Dr Sir

Yours &cr

Mr Josiah Smith Junr Savannah Decr. 9th. 1758

I have your sundry Favours per Crawdy Tobler's Boat & Capt Drummond and from the latter I've all the Articles contained in your Bill Parcels amounting to £521.5/ your Money together with my Goods from Bristoll.

I notice your receiving the Drat. on Smith & Brewton 700£ and allso £18.15.11 Drawback for which sums you are Debited against £5 Sterling which I readily allow you for transacting my past Affairs in your To. and you'l Please to make me Dr for the same. Your proposal of accepting the same like sum per Annum for what you may do for me hereafter I think extreemly reasonable, to which I freely consent and shall endeavour to make my Affairs as easy to you as possible. I'me sorry you had so much Trouble in procuring the Indico Certificate, nor can I conceive any reasonable Motive your Collectr. cou'd have against granting it on the first Application, as the End of the Law was answered however, for the future I'll avoid, as much as Possible, putting you to such Difficulties. The Good News you mention was also brought us here by a Vessel from Gibralter, and I'me sorry to hear of Capt Tuckers Misfortune. Capt Talbert will deliver you with this 3 parcels of Letters marked A.B.C. which please to forward by the three first Conveyances that may offer for any Ports of great Britain and notice the sd Conveyances. If I have any Goods from London arrived please to load them in Talbert

I am Sir Yours &cr

PS I shortly expect to send you another Draft on your Town Parcels [of] Lres refered to in the preceeding Lre

A. To Lloyd for Goods da. Nov 1st.
" Thomson (with 1st. Bills) da. 4th. Inst.
" do. with 4th. do. OttoLenghe & Zouberr. da 13th Sept

B. To Lloyd for Goods - Copy of the above
" Thomson with 2d. Bills as above
" do. with 5th. do. as do.

C. To Lloyd for Goods as above
Thomson with 3d. Bills as above

Mr William Thomson Sav Georgia Decembr. 22d. 1758

Sir In my last (of the 4th. Inst) I acquainted you that I had a fine Parcel of Indico to ship you by some Vessel that goes under the expected Convoy from Charles Town So Carolina; the said Indico is now packed up, and ready to go there per the first Opportunity, but as I cannot yet ascertain the Vessel it may be shipt in for your City, I have desired my Correspondent, Mr Josiah Smith Junr., to engage the Freight of it and to add in a Postscript to this, the Ship & Master's Name it goes in, and I therefore desire you immediately on Receipt hereof to Insure on said Indico so as fully to net in Case of Loss Six Hundred Pounds Sterling, as I shall write you again with said Indico I have only to add that

I am Sir
Your most hble Servant
T. R

Samuel Lloyd Esqr. Savannah Georgia Decemb. 22d. 1758

Sr. I'me desired by Mr Russell to ship you Mr Robinsons Indico of the last Crop, which will go under Convoy from Charles Town So. Carolina, Mr Josiah Smith will engage its Freight from thence to London but as I cannot determine the Vessel it may go in I have desired Mr Smith by an Addenda to this to acquaint you with the Ship & Masters Name youl please therefore on receipt hereof to Insure on said Indico so as to net in Case of Loss Two Hundred and thirty Pounds Sterling.

I am Sir &c

Mr Josiah Smith Junr. Savannah Decembr. 23d 1758

Sir Ime informed theres a Probability of several Vessells sailing from your Port for Europe before the departure of the Convoy under which I have sundry Casks of Indico to ship for London I must therefore request that in Case there shoud be a sufficient Number of such Vessels that may not wait for the Convoy that youd please to put one of the enclosed Letters on board each Ship. I must also beg the favour of you first to engage the Freight for said Indico on Board a Vessel that will absolutely go under the Convoy and before you seal up the enclosed Letters, which are as youl notice for Insurance, youl please to insert in a P. Script to each, the Ship & Commanders name by whom you determine to ship the Indico. As I send this by a Boat where theres none but negroes aboard I have promised to make 'em Satisfaction for their Care in delivering it to you on their producing at their Return a single Line under your Hand specifying the same.

I am Sr. &c

P.S. before you engage the Freight please to consult Mr John Smith late of Indian Land concerning it as I lately hinted somewhat of this Kind to him supposing he had also Goods to ship Mr Thomson

Ime informed that the Penguin & Surprize Men of War are to convoy the Trade if they do perhaps it might be necessary to mention it in the enclosed Letters.

Mr John Smith December 30th. 1758

Sr. I received your Lre of the 22d. Inst. and accordingly dispatched a Boat to the Orphan House for a Load of Rice, with directions to proceed with it directly for Beaufort and there deliver it to Mr Gordon agreable to your Order. As the Boat don't touch here in her Way I cannot say how many barrels she'l take tho I apprehend it may be about 40 or 42 and there will be about 20 more left which must come in over Land, as no Boat can be procured to go for so small a Quantity. The Rice (if agreable to the Sample produced me) is really good and proper for any Market but how I shall get the Remainder of it to Beaufort in Time I know not

Mr Russell and I have taken the Liberty to enclose you 3 or 4 Letters herein, intended (as youl observe) for your Glasgow Correspondent to send us the few Articles there mentioned, and shoud the same appear anyways eligible to you, we wou'd be glad that youd please to forward the same for us, together with a Line of Recommendation annexed to each of them. I am sorry to acquaint you that Mr Maxton instead of returning again, as reported, has taken Refuge at New Hanover (Edmund Grays Settlement). John Graham is lately returned from thence and tells me that Maxton has confessed Judgment to him, that he is now possessed of his Books and finds only about £600 Sterling in outstanding Debts (and many of them bad ones) to answer the Amount of near £3000 Sterling thats already appeared against him, and whats yet worse there's no other Effects of any Consequence that can yet be found, so that I apprehend both you and several others will be Sufferers in this Affair.

I notice what you say concerning your Rice - if 'its sold here it must be paid for in our Currency which perhaps might not suit you. As to its Quality, Mr Bryan the Bearer will inform you as it seems he has seen it. The Overseer says that there's very [little] lost by bad stacking, and he seems to have no Inclination for quitting your Service. If you chuse to sell the rice here for our Money, I'll endeavour to find you a sure Purchaser and shall wait your Answer.

I wish you a happy & prosperous new Year and a long Continuance of em and am Sr &ca

To Mr [blank] at Glasgow

Savannah Georgia Decemb. 29th. 1758

Sr. Sometime last Year our mutual Friend Mr Jno. Smith (of So. Carolina) sent me a Sample of some Goods that you shipt him from Glasgow which were very much approved off in this Province and consequently met with a speedy Sale, which induced me to desire the favour of said Gentleman to recommend the following Order to you to ship me per the first Vessel that offers from Glasgow to Charles Town So. Carolina the following Articles under Insurance Namely

12 ps. 3/4 scots Check at 7d. per yd
6 ps. fine coloured 7/8 ditto for Curtains at 13d per yd
18 doz linnen Handkerchiefs about 6/7 per doz
9 doz ditto about 8/4 per do
3 ps. or about 150 yards green Bays at 7d. per yard
3 ps. about same Quantity blue ditto at same price
4 ps. striped Lawn about 10 yds each ps. at 10d. per yard
4 ps. netted do same quantity at 11d. per do.
4 ps. do do at 13d per do.
4 ps. plain Gauze 10 yds each ps at 18d per yard
4 ps. flowered ditto at 2s. per do.
12 ps. striped Holland about 20 yds each ps. at 10½d per yard
4 ps ditto at 11d. per do
4 ps ditto at 12d. per do
4 ps ditto at 12½d per do
4 doz womens worsted damask Shoes sorted of different Sizes
2 doz girls ditto of different Sizes
4 doz mens coarse Shoes different Sizes
2 doz boys ditto do.

Youl please to mark them TR and address them to the Care of said Mr Smith, and as this will come to your hands recommended by him I shall make no other Apology but to assure you of a punctual Remittance for the Goods and am Sr Yr very hble Servt

Messrs. John & Ulrick Tobler per Mr. Wilson Jan. 4th. 1759

Gentlemen I received your Letter by Mr Willson and am sorry to acquaint you that the Ships expected from London are not yet arrived; otherwise I could have Supplyed you with most of the Articles you want but as my Goods are not yet come to Hand I can only send you by Mr Willson 2 ps Check

22 22
—
44 Yds. cost 9d per yd 1.13.0

Advance 50 per Ct. 0.16.6

———

£2.9.6

I would readily have bought all the other goods you mention but the greatest part of them could not be got in this Town and those that I could have got would not be less than 11 for 1 therefore as you Desire have only sent you what I had of my own. I shall Endeavour for the Future to have a better Supply of Goods and am

Gentlemen

Yr's &cra

Thos. Rasberry

Mr William Thomson Savannah Georgia January 5th. 1759

Sir The last Favour I have of Yours is dated the 13th June last, wherein you acquaint me that the ordered Goods contained in mine of the 21st March preceeding would be ship't me in the first Vessel that sailed in the Fall for Charles Town unless somewhat might offer for this Place, of which you then had no Prospect off - but we are now to the 5th Jany. 1759 and no Arrivals from London since the Live Oak, Rodgers who came in several Month Agoe. The great Disappointment in not receiving the said Articles in Time (as they were chiefly calculated for the Winter Season which you know is now drawing near to an End in these Parts) has occasioned me to trouble you with this to prevent the like for the future. I make no doubt but you've ship't the said Goods on some of the Vessels that we hear has been so long detained at Spithead for Convoy down the Channel, and as from the Time of their Departure from thence (which you must [read]ily know) there cou'd be no probability of the Goods coming to hand in Season, I conclude that if afterwards you received Intelligence of the Miscarriage of both the Vessels you shipt on that you then have intirely omitted re'shipping the Woollen and therefore relying on this I must beg the Favour of you to send me by the first two Ships that may offer either for Charles Town, Beaufort or this Province the following Articles under Insurance, which from your own Experience are chiefly adapted for the Winter Season Namely

2 ps dark blue Cambletee's
2 ps dark brown do.
2 ps deep red do.
2 ps brown Yd wide Stuffs.
2 ps brown Tammys
2 ps black do
2 ps white do

Let the above Cambletees Yd. Stuffs & Tammys be of good Qualitys & their Measures put down in the Invoice

4 ps purple & White embos'd Serge at 12d or 13d per Yd
2 ps red & White do at 12d or 13d
2 ps. ditto either Yellow flowered or a Yellow Ground at 14d or 15d per yard
8 ps blue & white striped Linseys about 34s/ per ps
4 ps white ditto 12d or 13d per Yd
2 Ends - about 10 yards each blue broad Cloth at 12s or 13s/ per Yd
2 Ends - about 10 yards each of brown ditto at same price
2 ps brown narrow Cloth about 22 Yds each ps at 20d per Yd
2 ps ditto about same quantity at 23d per do.
2 ps Yd wd. blue do same quantity at 5s. per do.
2 ps deep olive do at 8s per Yd
6 ps. Shalloons to suit the Cloths
6 bags mohair Buttons to suit
4 ps. blue napt Witneys about 24 yds each ps. at 4/3 per yard
2 lb good mohair of different Colours
2 ps good Buckram
4 pr 8/4 bed Blanketts at 9s/ per pr
4 pr 9/4 do at 12s/ per pr
4 pr 10/4 do at 17/6 per pr
6 mens duffill great Coats at 12 or 13s each
4 ditto's cloth do at 14s each
4 dittos do at 18s ea
4 dittos do at 21s each
12 Sailors blue fearnought Jacketts at 7/6 each

Please to let the above great Coats be of the longest Sizes and the Sailors Jackets large

6 doz. mill'd yarn Caps at 6/3 per doz
4 doz single worsted do at 7s per do
4 doz do at 8s per doz
4 doz double do at 8s per do
4 doz do at 10s.
4 doz mens grey yarn Hose at 10/6 do[z]
4 doz do at 12/ [torn]
4 doz boys do at 8s [torn]
4 doz mens wove worsted Stockings at 18s per doz
4 doz do at 24s
4 doz do at 28s
2 doz. knit do at 31s
2 doz do ribbd at 36s

2 doz fine black do at 42s/ - let a few pr of these be ribbed
4 doz woms. stampt worsted Stockings about 11/6 per doz
4 doz do. clockt do at 18s/ per do
4 doz do. at 24s per do
2 doz do at 36s per do
4 doz girls do at 14s or 15s per doz.
4 doz boys do at same Price
2 doz childs do. at 8s per doz
2 doz do at 9s

You are to send out the foregoing Quantities if you hear of the Loss of both the Vessels on which you shipt the woollens ordered in mine of the 21st. March last, and as what I then wrote for will not be Sufficient for my next Winters Sale, I must desire you tho you shoud receive no Intelligence of the Capture of either of them to send me out one half of the foregoing Articles.

The Duffill Blanketts I recd from D R & Lloyd are much too small and the Plains in general but ordinary which I'me told is the Case of all the Bristol Woollens the last Year. I have a good Quantity of the white Plains unsold which must lay on hand till the next Winter which was occasioned by their very late Arrival here as most of my Customers were then Supplyed and as I don't intend to order any from thence the present Year I must beg you to send me the following from your City

8 ps Striped Duffill Blanketts
6 ps blue Strouds
2 ps brown Stuff Damask
12 ps blue Plains or about 400 Yds not to exceed 14d per Yard
2ps blue Stuff Damask - a good sort.
1 doz mens bear Skin Coats about 11s/ each

The last mentioned Articles you'l please to send out in two Bottoms an equal Quantity in each & by the very first Opportunitys also that may Offer after the receipt of this - if they come to Charles Town address them to Josiah Smith Junr but if to Beaufort you'l consign them to Gordon & Elliott. As I expect to write you again per the Convoy for a few more Articles I shall only Add That

I am Sir

Mr Josiah Smith Junr Savannah Georgia Jany 9th. 1759

Sir/ The foregoing is Copy of what I wrote you the 23d Ulto but as it was delivered pretty late in the Night (and to Negroes only) I'me somewhat doubtfull as to the Care they have taken of it, which has occasioned me to trouble you with Six Letters more to each Gentlemen, which you'l find enclosed, and after you have added

the desired Postscript to each of them, must beg you to forward them by the first Conveyances for any Ports of Great Britain, and acquaint me with the differrent Vessels they go in; besides these you'l also find herein three others Letters for Mr Thomson, which are sealed up, and have no relation to the 3 parcels I sent you the 9th. Ulto. marked A.B.C therefore please to put one of these into each of said Parcels (if they're now in your hands) or otherwise forward 'em by differrent Opportunities as these also are Copies of each other, & please to Note their Conveyances also. I have Numbered them on their Backs just for distinction Sake 1, 2, 3; if the Letters for Insurance sent with the annexed copied Lre come safe to hand perhaps (as there was 6 of each) they may be sufficient, and in that Case the enclosed ones for that purpose may be retained

I am Sir Yours &cae

I wrote you a Line a few Days agoe in reply to yours per Mr Bedgegood; please to be so kind as to send me one Carpenters Compass Saw and two flat & half round Rasps.

NB The above Lres 1, 2, 3 were to Thomson dated the 5th. Inst. for Goods.

Mr John Gordon per Berrier's Boat

Savannah

Sir At the desire of Mr John Smith I now send the Bearer Jacob Berrier to the Orphan House for a Load of Rice with which he is directly to proceed to Beaufort and deliver it to you for Mr Smiths Acct. I cannot exactly say how many blls he may carry and must therefore request that youl please to fa[vour] me with the Number you receive & also the W[eight] of the same.

I am Sir &cr

Mr John Gordon per Capt Talbert

Savannah Georgia January 10th. 1759

Sir I have put on board the Bearer Captn Talbert 15 barrels Rice more for Account of Mr John Smith which you'l please to take Care off - these have been weighed here and their Contents marked on their heads (as under) with Chalk

621
629
637
637
641
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636
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———
8303 Tare 64½ lb Each

Youl please to favour me with the weight of the 42 blls sent you per Jacob Berrier as soon as you can as I want to settle the same with the Orphan House

I am Sir Yours &cae[1]

Messrs Devonshire Reeve & Lloyd

Savannah in Georgia Jany 10th. 1759

GENTLEMEN I have your Letter of the 7th August last covering Invoice of sundry Goods shipt me by the Ann Capt Forten amounting to £187.11.7 Sterling which I have receiv'd in good Order, and this serves to hand you the first of the following setts Bills on London amounting to ninety Pounds Sterling which when paid you'l place to my Credit Namely:

Governor Ellis's Bills to John Martin Bolzius dated 29th Septr last on Ellis and Fivey for 40.0.0
Dittos Ditto To John Davis dated 9th August last on Benjamin Martin 50.0.0
———
£90.0.0

The Remainder of these Bills will be forwarded you as Conveyances Offer I notice the Remittances you Desire

And am Gentlemen
Your most hble Servant
Thomas Rasberry

PS. Capt Fortens very late Arrival has occasioned almost the whole of the PLains you ship't me to lay on hand and as they'l be fully sufficient for my next Winters Sale I shall not at present trouble you with any further Order for the coming Fall

1. The following "scribbles" are on this letter:
Commonly Called Commander Chief
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Commanders in the Army & Navy of
Command thy Mind
Commissioners Indian Affairs PensacoLa

Savannah Georgia the 25th. January 1759

Mr Wm Thomson Under Cover of this you'l receive Invoice Bill Lading and Bounty Certificate for Ten Casks Indico to be ship't you for my Account by Mr Josiah Smith Junr. on board the Ship Squerries David Mitchell Commander from Charles Town for your City amounting to Five hundred ninety eight Pounds 3/11¼d Sterling which when sold you'l place the Proceeds to my Credit; it will be found (on Examination) to be in general a prime parcel of Indico, and I make no doubt but the greater part of it will fetch the heighth of the Market. The Cask of Flora thats rated at 8/ I'me to account for to the Maker when sold - he refused 7/2 Stg for it in my presence, and as there are likewise 2 or 3 other parcels that I received on the same Terms I must beg you to make out the Sales exactly in the same Manner as to Marks, Numbers &ca. as you find 'em in the Invoice that I may the more readily acco[unt] with the respective Proprietors here for their Net proceeds. I have wrote you pretty copiously lately and therefore shall only add that I hope this Consignment may safely reach you and render us a pleasing Sale

I am Sir &ca.

PS I send this Lre, with five Copies thereof open to Mr Smith for him to enclose you an Invoice & Bill Lading in each to follow the Indico. The Capts Strachan & Sterling are arrived. I hope to receive my Goods in a few days.

Samuel Lloyd Esqr Savannah Jany. 25th 1759

Sir Enclosed youl receive Invoice Bill Lading & Bounty Certificates for three Casks Indico that will be shipt you from Charles Town So Carolina by Mr Josiah Smith Junr in the Ship Squerries David Mitchell Commander for London amounting to £177.7.0 Sterling which youl dispose off for Account of Mr Robinson.

Since I wrote you for Insurance on this Indico Mr Russell found that a great Part of it was much inferior in quality to what he expected, and in Consequence thereof he wrote you the [blank] not to insure more than £180 Stg. which I hope reached you in Time to prevent your'e insuring the Sum I ordered of £230. There's also a Box Indico included in sd. Invoice markt HY which was delivered me by Mr Henry Yonge and contains as he tells me a variety of Samples only of that Article which he sends purely to know your Sentiments on each but as He writes you per this Conveyance I must refer you to him for further ParticuLar

I am Sir

Yours &cr

TR

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah Jany 29 1759

Sir I have your Favour of the 16th. Inst & have accordingly sent you by the Bearer Adam Crawdy 13 Casks and 1 box Indico to put on board Capt. Mitchell, agreable to the enclosed Invoices and Bills Lading. The Invoices as you'l notice are not dated, and was purposely omitted in order that them and the Bills Lading might bear nearly an equal Date, youl please therefore to fill up this Deficiency and sign them for me when the Indico is shipt. I have also sent you an Original Letter (together with 4 Copies) for each of the Gentlemen, to whom the Indico is consigned - the Originals with Bounty Certificates &ca to go in the Squerries, and the Copies with the other Invoices & Bills Lading to follow per other Conveyances. You have also here included the necessary PLanters Certificates all of 'em either endorsed by or taken before our Collector (Mr Spencer) to facilitate your obtaining a general one from your Custom House to accompany the Indico and as it comes round in an open Boat no Bond is given, therefore no Certificate is required from you. This is all I presume thats necessary to be done here in respect to the Present Shipment.

I'me greatly obliged to you for recommending me to your Friend at Antigua, and in the executing any Commands of his here, shall endeavour to render him Satisfaction. Your Letter per Golphins Boat was not delivered me notwithstanding I sent down to the Boat to enquire about it, on her Return, but I have both my Packets per Strachan & Stirling and notice my Goods coming round in Mr John Smiths Schooner, who doth not yet appear. I hoped that by this Opportunity I shou'd have been enabled to have made you a Remittance per a Draft on your Town, but the Gentlemen from [whom] I expected [it] hath just now wrote me that in lieu [of it] he proposes to furnish me with a good sett of Bills on London in a few Days which shall send you on Account if they may then be suitable. I notice your'e forwarding the 3 Packets sent you some Time agoe, and I must beg you to forward the 3 enclosed Letters for Bristol per differrent Opportunities

I am Sir
Yours &cr
TR

if the price of Rum is lowered please to send me two hhds per Crawdy

Mr Roper Dawson Savannah Jan 29th. 1759

Sir In answer to yours of the 5th. Octr last I can only acquaint you that Mr Maxton went to the Garrison of St Augustine several Months agoe and is not yet returned to this Province, he also clandestinely removed all his Effects from hence so that I'me much afraid you'l

never recover a single Penny for his Note - there's several here, and in Carolina also, that will be great Sufferers by him.

We have had such quantities of prize Coffee brought here, that I cou'd not dispose of your's at any Rate, as its not very good, however I shall see in a few Days what it will fetch at pub. Sale & the Proceeds shall be paid to your Order, by

Sir Yours & cae

TR

Samuel Lloyd Esqr Savannah Georgia Jany. 29th. 1759

Sir I have your Favour of the 18th. Septr last and notice what you say concerning the Payments you've made my Mother - my Sister confirms it and I thank you very kindly for this Act of Friendship. In your sd Favour I've a Letter for Mr Rae (unsealed) which I wou'd hope & have Reason to beleive, is before now rendered useless. In a former Lre I acquainted you that Mr Rae Junr (on Enquiry) assured me that Mr Stead was enabled to remit you the Ballance of R & Bs. Act. and wou'd certainly do it by the last Convoy from Charles Town; however, I was [no]t intirely satisfyed with this Assurance, but soon after [wrote] to a worthy Friend of mine (Mr John Smith) who in reply wrote me thus

"I have enquired of Mr Stead if any Remittances has been made to Mr Lloyd for Account of Rae & Barksdale, which he tells me he has done for the full Amount and you be satisfyed it is before now intirely ballanced by Mr Baker who does his Business"

As Mr Smith is a Person of great Integrity I have no reason to doubt of the Fact of what he writes me and shall therefore retain your Lre to Mr Rae expecting your next will confirm the Receipt of this Ballance from said Mr Baker. The Mary Anne Capt Tucker seperated from the Fleet in a hard Gale of Wind near Bermuda and put back to New York in great Distress, but I apprehend She's again refitted and sailed before this; please to inform me whether the 20 SoLa Bills remitted in Thomson has yet appeared; there's no Error in your Acct Currt (as I perceive) except that Omission. you'l Please to excuse Brevity being much hurried to save this Opportunity for Chas. Town & have only Time to add that I am

Dr Sir Yours &cr

TR

I hope you've had the pleasure of seeing Mr Attorney Clifton and that he has paid you (as promised) his Affairs were in a terrible Situation on his leaving the Province, as I've already advised you

Mr Josiah Smith

Sir I have now all your late favours together with my Packets and Goods from London the missing Cask (No 28) contained Raisins only, therefore of no great Value. Mills was gone before I received your Letter which prevented my Enquiry of him but I don't find that any such Cask was landed here from his Vessell. I received the Compas Saw & Rasps per Mackay for which I thank you and shou'd be glad to know the Cost. I have hinted to Mr Dixon your Intention of returning Joe Rains [torn] Mr Polhill, and notice your Reasons [for] doing it, which are certainly Just. In Yours per the revd Mr Zubly I have 25.1.6 in our Money but cannot give you any Encouragement of speedily turning it into your Currency, but you may be satisfyed of my Endeavours. The great Ballance of Trade in favour of Carolina (where our Money is not at all acceptable) renders it extreemly difficult for any single Person to collect any Sum in your Money as every one here is snatching at it however I've found Means to procure the Sum of ninety one Pounds lately, which you have enclosed and youl pass the same to my Credit. I have not yet received the Bills promised me, else youd have had them also per this Conveyance, but hope to be able to send them you soon. I notice Mr Zubly's coming to reside in this Province, where he's greatly esteemed, and I trust his ministerial Labours will be crowned with Success

I am Sr. &cr

Mr William Thomson Savannah Georgia Feb. 20th. 1759

Sir This principally serves to enclose you the first of Governor Ellis's Bills on the Pay Master General of his Majesty's Forces dated the 10th. last December in favour of Capt John Milledge for Forty five Pounds Sterling. Also a Certificate of our said Governors payable to the late Capt John Barnard and dated the 16th. June 1757 for Thirty four Pounds amounting together to Seventy nine Pounds Sterling, which when paid you'l carry to my Credit. In respect to the Certificate it may be necssary to notice that at the Time of the Decease of the said Capt John Barnard this Certificate (or rather this Sett) was left unindorsed, and was afterwards so delivered me by the Clerk of the Company (or Troop) to answer a Demand that I had on this Service [o]n Account of Pay due to some of the Men, but as I thought [an] Endorsement wou'd be necessary to transfer the Property in 'em to me, I prevailed on Capt Milledge to supply this Defect as he was well acquainted with the Companys Affairs at the Time of his succeeding Capt Barnard in the Command. I mention this to obviate any Doubts that may arise from this Endorsement when the Certificates are tendered for Payment

I have now the Pleasure to advise you of the receipt of the Goods shipt me in the Union and Mercury all in good order, except the Tin Ware and Turnery which suffered some little Damage

I am Sir Yours &cr

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah Febry 25th. 1759

SIR I have your Favour per Crawdy with the two hhds Rum, and notice your Shipping the Indico in Mitchell; your Letter per Capt Carlton I've also received together with the Counterfeit Bills and thank you for your Remarks on your Bad Money which may prevent my being imposed on in this Respect for the future. Mr John Rae the Bearer will deliver you twenty Dollars and £15.0.0 in your paper Curr[enc]y for which please to give me a Credit. I am really sorry that I cannot furnish you with the Promised Bills on London per this Opportunity; Messrs. Elliott & Gordon (the Gentlemen who are to be Drawers) being now both in your Province, but as I expect Mr Elliott up in a few Days I hope it will not be long 'ere you receive them; please to acquaint me whether sole Leather is acceptable with you; what Price it bears and if Subject to your Country Duty? as I have a parcel of it Offered me from one of your Tanners, and when you have Leisure shou'd be glad to receive my Accot. Currt. I must beg the Favour of you to forward the three enclosed Letters to Mr Thomson by as many Conveyances, as they are Cop[ies] perhaps they may come in Time for the Fleet, if [they] do, as they have no Connextion with any already passed thro your hands, you may forward 'em by any 3 Ships that has any of my Letters on board. I notice what you say concerning Crawdey, and have delivered Mr Beaufain['s] Lre to our Collectr. and shall take Care for the future that on a Like Occasion the needful shall be done where My Property is concerned. Mr Hooper has promised me to furnish his Friend in your Town with the Means to take up his Note per the present Conveyance, I hope he'l no[t] disappoint me, as it ought to have been paid before now

I am Sir Yours &cr

Messieurs John & Ulrick Tobler

GENTLEMEN The above Articles amounting to £69.14.9¼ I have sent you by Mr C Cook which I hope may reach you Safely. As I had no German Serge I have instead of it Sent you the above ps of blue Cloth which is really very good for the Price I had no Cambrick at the Price you mention Therefore have omitted that Article Mr Cook tells me you intend to Come Down soon if you can bring me some good Tallow I should be glad

I am sir Your &cra

Mr William Thomson

Mermaid - M of Warr
Harrietta - Rains - London
Littleton - Brown - do
John - Butler - Bristol

Savannah Georgia March 2d 1759

Sr My last was the 20th. Ultimo which served only to enclose you a Draft of our Governor's on the Pay Master General of the Land Forces for £45 and a Certificate of our said Governor's to the said Pay Master for £34, which I hope may safely reach you and that no Difficulty may attend their Payment. in my said Letter I also acknowledged the Receipt of the Goods per the Union & Mercury, and as the Morning Star, Coates met with that Accident near Portsmouth, I make no doubt but you have reshipped the few Articles she had for me on some other Bottom. I also wrote you the 5th. last January, wherein you were desired to send me some Woollens for the coming Fall but as I shall also be in want of sundry other Articles at that Time I must beg you to ship me the following under Insurance per same Conveyances

500 yards Irish OSnabrig
600 brown Edinburghs at
400 yards white ditto
4 ps. 7/8 Irisn Linnen at 14d. per yard
2 ps ditto at 16d. per do
2 ps. ditto at 18d. do
2 ps ditto at 21d. do
4 ps. yard wd. ditto at 18d. do
2 ps ditto at 21d.
2 ps ditto at 2s.
2 ps ditto at 2/6
6 ps. 9/8ths. Sheeting at 12d.
2 ps. Cambrick about 24s. per ps.
2 ps. ditto at 29s. per ps.
2 ps. ditto 34s. per ps.
6 ps. Dowlas 16/6 per ps
6 ps. ditto 20/6 per ps.
6 ps. ditto 28/6 per ps.
4 ps. ¾ Garlix 17s. per ps
4 ps. ditto 20s. per ps
4 ps. ditto 23s. per ps.
4 ps. 7/8 Garlix at 21/6 per ps
4 ps ditto 25s. per ps
4 ps ditto 26s. per ps

2 ps. striped cotton Hollands at 14d. per yard.
2 ps ditto at 16d. per yd
2 ps ditto at 18d per yd.
2 ps ditto at 20d. per yd
NB let the above cotton Hollands be all narrow blue Stripes & the length way of the Cloth
4 ps. 7/8 manchester cotton Check at 13d. per Ell
4 ps ditto at 16d. per do.
4 ps ditto at 19d per do.
4 ps. yard wd. ditto at 13d per do.
4 ps ditto at 16d per do.
4 ps ditto at 20d. per do.
let none of the above Checks have any red or yellow in them
4 ps. 7/8 linnen Check at 9½d per yd
4 ps ditto at 10½d per do
4 ps ditto at 12d. per do
4 ps yard ditto at 10d per do
4 ps ditto at 11d. per do
4 ps ditto at 12½d per do
6 doz scots linnen Handkerchiefs at 10s per doz.
6 doz. ditto at 13/6 or 14s. per do.
8 ps. cotton Romall do at 10/9 per ps
4 doz silk & cotton or Cherridery Handkerchiefs
4 doz blue & white paste work ditto at 13s. per dozen
4 doz red linnen birds eye Handkerchiefs
4 doz blue birds eye ditto
4 doz silk culgee ditto at 25s. per doz
[torn] ditto at 30s. per do
1 doz blue silk birds eye Handkerchiefs
1 doz red silk birds eye ditto
12 ps. good blue OSnabrig about 25 yds each ps
4 9/4ths. flanders bed Ticks about 18 or 19s. each
4 10/4th ditto 24 or 25s. each
3 clouting Diaper a 10/6 each
3 ditto at 11/6 each
2 ps. narrow rushia Towelling
12 lb. osnabrig Thread 19d per Lb
12 lb. ditto in half pounds a' 15d or 16d
6 lb. different cloth coloured ditto a' 2/6
6 lb fine blue ditto at 2/6
6 lb. coarser ditto in half pounds
6 lb. whi. brown ditto at 2/3 per lb

4 lb. stitching Thread at 3/2 per Lb.
4 lb. ditto at 3/4
4 lb. ditto at 3/9
4 lb. scots ounce Thread at 4/6 per lb.
4 lb. ditto at 6s. per lb
2 lb. ditto at 10s. do
1 lb. ditto at 15s. per do
1 lb. ditto at 20s. do.
6 doz broad manchester Tape or Filletting
6 doz. diaper Tapes
6 doz ditto narrower
12 doz. Bobbing at 2/ or 2/1 per doz
12 doz dutch Pretties blue flowered
8 doz. boys felt Hatts at 7 or 8s. per doz
6 doz. mens ditto at 11/ or 12s per doz
16 doz dittos. do. at 14s. per doz
4 doz dittos. do. at 24s. per doz
2 doz carolina beaver ditto at 5s. each
1 doz ditto at 7/6 each
2 Reams post Paper at 14/6 per Rm
6 Rms. fools cap ditto at 12/6 per do
6 Rms. pot ditto at 6/6 per do
2 Rms. whited brown do at 6s. per do
12 doz bed Cords at 8/ or 8/6 per doz
6 doz hambro' Lines at 14s. per doz
4 doz Cod Lines at
4 doz fish Lines at 7/6 per doz
8 doz ditto at 5/ per doz
4 doz ditto at 3/ per doz
4 doz ditto at 2/6 per doz
6 doz. pewter Basons sorted chiefly of large Sizes
4 doz. quart pewter Tea Potts
2 doz. pint & half ditto
1 doz copper Tea Kettles sorted chiefly large Sizes
2 doz bath handle Penknives at 2/6 per dozn
6 doz enamelld handle ditto at 2/8 per doz
6 doz. buck ditto at 3/6 per doz
6 doz ditto at 3/6 per doz
6 doz stag cuttoe Knives at 3/6 per doz
6 doz ditto at 4/ per do
6 doz ditto at 4/6 per do
6 doz ditto at 5/ per do.
4 doz childs mettal Shoe Buckells at 2s/6 per doz

4 doz mens white do. at 4/4 per doz
4 doz dos do. at 5s per do
4 doz dos. yellow do. at 4/ per do.
4 doz Womens neat white mettal Buckells at 4s/ per doz
4 doz sailors strong yellow mettal do. 4/6 per doz
2 doz Setts neat wrought pinchbeck do at 13s. per doz Setts
2 doz Setts steel do. at 8s. per do
6 double groce flat white mettal Buttons at 4/6 per doub groce
6 sing. groce breast white mettal Buttons at 19d per groce
6 gro. gold pattern Sleeve Buttons at 3/ per groce
6m. sorted Needles
2 doz split buck handle Table Knives & Forks at 2/9 per doz
2 doz ditto at 3/6 per doz
2 doz ditto at 4/ per do
2 doz ditto at 5/ per do.
what is meant by a dozen of the above is 6 Knives and 6 Forks
500 fish Hooks at 20s. per m
1000 fish Hooks at 15s. per m
1000 do. at 12s. per do
1000 do. at 10s. per do
1000 do. at 8s. per do
20m. 20d Nails
20m. 10d ditto
let one half the above be done up in bags of 2m. each
30m. 5d Nails } rose heads
30m. 4d ditto } rose heads
let about 20m. of the above be done up in bags of 6m each
6 . . 0 . . 0 Irons Potts sorted chiefly of about 12 and 15 lb each with a few large ones
6 pr. fire Shovels & Tongs a 2/4 per pr
6 pr. ditto a 2/10 per pr
6 pr ditto a 3/6 per pr
12 pr trace Chains a 2/9 per pr
12 pr ditto a 3/9 per pr
6 pr stronger ditto of about 12 Lb. or 14 Lb. weight per pr } short Links
3 pr sad Irons at 1/9 per pr
3 pr ditto at 2/2 per pr
3 pr ditto at 2/6 per pr
3 pr ditto at 3/ per pr
1 . . 2 . . 0 Iron Wedges for splitting Wood - different Sizes
2 doz box Locks at 5/ per doz

2 doz ditto at 6/ or 6/6 per doz
2 doz ditto at 7 or 7/6 per doz
2 doz chest do at 7/6 or 8s. per doz
6 Grindstones holed at 20d each
9 ditto at 2/6 ea.
3 ditto at 4/ ea.
6m. good gun Flints
3 . . 0 . . 0 duck Shot
3 . . 0 . . 0 bristol do.
3 . . 0 . . 0 swan do.
50 Lb. Westons pigtail Tobacco in half pounds & made up in Two Boxes
3 doz mens single channel Pumps
8 Woms. scarlet Cloaks about 6/6 or 7/6 each
4 ditto about 9s. or 9/6 ea
2 doz mens plain wove worsted Hose at 35s. per doz
2 doz dittos plain knitt ditto at 36s. per doz
6 doz small cheap Looking Glasses such as are used for the Indian Trade
2 doz mens buck Skin Gloves not those with stiffened Tops
2 doz wash Leather do
6 pr Bellows at 2s/ each
6 pr ditto at 3s. each

I shall be glad if you'l divide the foregoing Order so that the Goods may be shipt on two Bottoms and in Case they cannot be got ready to come out with the Articles ordered in mine of the 5th last January, I must beg you to forward them by the Two next Opportunities afterwards. I have, as youl notice, affixed the Prices to most of the Goods, before mentioned, which is not intended to confine you intirely to those identical Prices, but only, where they cannot be had at such Rates that you woud come as near them as possible. If any Vessells shoud offer for this Province in Time youl doubtless give such the preference, if not they must come into Charlestown or Beaufort. Mr Josiah Smith Junr will receive them at Charles Town and Messrs. Gordon & Elliott at Beaufort. I shall endeavour to make you some Considerable Remittances the latter End of this year and shall only add that I hope this may meet you in better Health than when you last wrote me & that I am Sir

Yr very hble Servant
Thomas Rasberry

Mr John Smith Savannah March 8th 1759

Sir Your new Overseer came to me two Days agoe and Desired me to

inform you that he intends to quit your Plantation about the 20th of this Month as the Place is not at all agreeable to him and as he says doth not Answer his Expectation of it I disired him to Consult Mr Bryan before he resolved on leaving your Service as I apprehendded he was under some contract with you for a Time certain and also urged the Damage you might probably Sustain by his leaving the Plantation before you could procure an Overseer but he yet seemed to be Determined to return to Carolina as soon as possible

Mr Bryan is now absent from his Plantation but as soon as he returns he shall be acquainted herewith

As we could not get possibly a Boat to carry your Rice to Beaufort Mr Russell & I thought it proper to offer it to Mr Mackenzie of your Town who is Loading a Vessell for the W. Indies on Condition of its being replaced in Charles Town which he excepted the Barrels were very light & he [h]as returned 5 of them again on account of there Quality which is really very bad Rice tho I apprehend he may have taken some on Board of the same Quality unperceived If you propose to come up here Soon I shoud be glad if youd please to bring with you, or send it me when you have Leisure

Mr William Banbury Savannah March 8. 1759

Sir In Consequence of your Letter to Mr Habersham I have supplied Capt Longstaff with Ten Pounds Sterling which was all he required else I should have Readily furnished him with the extent of what you mention in your said Letter for the above sum he has given me his Draft on you which I shall make no Use of provided I can Dispose of his Wine That I now daily expect from Ogeeche, w[h]ere he loaded tho I'me afraid it will not meet with a speedy Sale a[s] a Vessell from Gibralter and Madeira has lately brought in a pret[ty good] Quantity. Mr Pruniere has not yet paid that small Balance but he promises to do it soon he has been greatly reduced lately by the loss of his Vessel & Cargoe uninsured which makes me the less Strenous for this as well as for a more Considerable Ballance he owes me. I am Sir

Your Obedient Servant
Thomas Rasberry

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah March 8. 1759

Sir My last was of the 25th. last which I hope Mr Rae has Delivered you The present is only to desire you to forward the enclosed Letters for London by any Opportunitys that may Offer for any Ports of Britain the 2 to Mr Thomson are Copies (but of none already sent you) and as its probable you may receive from me 2 Copies more

of these before they can leave Charles To. to prevent Mistakes I have marked them on their Backs thus A and the following Copies will also have the same marks. I'me a good Deal concerned at Mr Grey Elliott's long Stay in your Province, which obliges me so long to defer sending the Bills he has engaged to give me on London but I think his Affairs here must require his return ere long. I can only add at present that I am

Sir Yours &cra

Mr William DeBrahm Savannah 8 [March] 1759

Sir I have sent you per Mr Griner

1 ps Linnen	1.15.0
1 pr Girls Shoes	0.3.2
1 Cag Rum qt.4¼ gallons @ 5/6	1.3.4½
	£3.1.6½

The Linnen is the Nearest to the sample you sent me of any I have & I hope may be suitable.

I am Sir Yours &cra

Mr John Smith Savannah 19th March 1759

Sir Sometime agoe I Advanced Mr Grey Elliott a Sum of Money in our Currency which he promised (partly) to repay me by a Draft on Mr Thomson which said Draft I have repeatedly assured Mr Josiah Smith should be sent him for my Account but when Mr Elliott Delivered me the Bills a few Days agoe he desired them not to be negotiated but remitted directly to Mr Thomson which he was promissed should be done but as I'me now obliged to disappoint Mr Smith as to the Bills to whom I want to make a payment I must beg you, Sir, to pay their amount—£80 St.Lg into his Hands, and remit the Bills for your own Account the first and second of which are here enclosed and the remainr. will follow as opportunities offers.

Mr Maxton is returned here again in order to compromize his Affairs. I met the majority of his Creditors three Days agoe when it was proposed to grant him a Lre of Licence for 3 years; the state of Accounts were laid before us whence it appeared he was behind hand about £800 StLn Graham has since told me he was sure it must be a great deal more and he declined coming in as I did untill I knew your Pleasure. Simpson tells me that Jamieson Robertson & Baillie, De Costa & Farr and indeed all the Carolina Creditors (except you) had empowered him to sign the Licence in their Behalfs which he was ready to do provided Graham would do the same but as he refused the Matter lies still in Suspence and I therfore should be glad

to know your Mind as soon as possible as to any scheme of this Nature that may yet be offered. We are informed that theres a Probability of the Cargoe of the Dutch Vessel in your Harbour being condemned should it prove so we should be glad if you could buy for us 2 or 3 Hogsheads brown Sugar 1 Hhdd pow. Do. and 2 or 300 lb. Coffee provided they sell low. I have acquainted Mr Bryan of your Overseers intenti[on] of quitting your Plantation.

I have already inform'd you that (before your last Letter came to hand) 28 barrels of your Rice was delivered Mr Mackenzie the 27 Ultimo Nt. 13,408 lb to be returned or paid for in Charles Town of which he tells me his Partner (Mr Moody) has been advised the[y] refused 5 barrells I have sold here per retail, at 8/ per 100 lb and credited you therewith

I am Sir

Yours &cra

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah 19 March 1759

Sir Just after I wrote you last Mr Elliott came up from Beaufort and Delivered me the (so long expected) Bills on Mr Thomson but at the same Time, contrary to my expectation, desired me to remit 'em for my own Acct. & not suffer 'em to be negotiated, tho he seem'd to be certain of their meeting due Honour; now as he hath laid me under this disagreeable injunction I must beg you to dispense with my Promise as to the Bills the amount of 'em £80 Sterln I have Desired mr John Smith to pay you for my Acct. to whom I now send the Draft, as they'l goe directly from him to Mr Thomson. I'me sorry I am thus obliged to disappoint you as to manner of this payment but you see, Sir, I cannot consistently avoid it.

I hope Mr Hooper's Note is now paid please to acquaint me whether you have Done any thing with the Indicoe Seed sent you last year & whether anymore of the maps hath been parted with since you furnish'd me with last Account

I am Sir

Yours &cra

PS I have enclosed you 2 more Copies of those Letters sent you the 8th Instant for Mr Thomson which please to forward per seperate Conveyances, if one of them could go from N York it be so much the better

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah 23 March 1759

Sir I hope you have received my Letter per Mr Mackenzie's Nephew who went home a few Days agoe over [lan]d and that it may suit

Mr John Smith to pay you for my Account eighty Pounds SterLn agreeable to what I wrote him per said Opportunity. This is to request you to Send me 200 lb Sope & 6 Toblers Almanacks sold by Mr Viart per next Conveyance the sope is not for my Use but to assist a poor man Mr Cunningham who sells it again and on whom it seems Messrs. Ogilvie and Ward had a Demand; and in Consequence of which he says he remitted 'em 31 Spanish Pistoles & 150 Dollars & the Receipt thereof They never acknowledged I must therefore beg of you to enquire of them about it and prevail on them to send him their Account

I am Sir &cra

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah March 26 1759

Sir I have your's of the 14th Instant and notice your receipt of the £46 sent per Mr Rae This comes per Mr Tobler who brings you 30 Dollars more & £13.1.3 in your Currency for which you'l please to Credit me with. I notice your remark on Sole Leather which puts me to a Stand, as the Tanner demands 6½d per Lb for it here. I'me not a little Surprized that Mr Hooper's Note remains yet unpaid. I have spoke to him again about it and tells me (as he did before) that he had enabled his Friend Mr George Abbott Hall at Mr Inglis's to take it up, to whom be pleased to apply, if it's yet in your hands

I am, Sir &ca

Mr William Thomson

Brittania - Fowler - Bristol
Hungerford - Walker - Orkneys
John - Butler - London
Mermaid - M of Warr

Savannah Georgia 27th. March 1759

Sir Since I wrote you the 2d. Instant an old Correspondent of Messrs. Harris & Habersham has, applyed to me to serve him, with Goods, which Ive engaged to do, but as his [order] is somewhat considerable, I am obliged to trouble you again in order to make an Addition (to those already desired from you) of the following Articles to come out as soon as possible, under Insurance and consigned agreable to the Directions contained in my former: Vizt

6 ps. 18 yard Callicoe
12 lb. black and white barley corn Beads assorted
12 lb. common ditto do
3 lb. Agate ditto
4 doz silver Indian ear Bobs a thin light kind
8 doz white mettal ditto

12 groce yellow pea Buttons about 22d. per groce
12 lb. brass Wire of different Size
100 lb. brass Kettles sorted
4 groce red Cadice
12 lb Vermillion in boxes

6 Nests red gilt Trunks of 5 or 6 in a Nest from the smallest upwards

as the foregoing are calculated for the Indian Trade I must beg you to acquaint yourself of the right Sorts of those Articles that are now exported for that purpose, particularly in Respect to the Beads

3 doz snaffle bridle Bitts about 3s. per doz
3 doz do 4s. per do
3 doz do 5/6 or 6s. per do
2 doz stirrup Irons about 5s. per doz
1 doz do 7/6 per do
1 doz do 10s. per do
4 doz Spurrs about 6s. per dozn
2 doz do 12s. per do
6m. Sadlers Tacks
2 doz common Bosses
2 ps. red & white embossed Serge at 12d or 13d per Yard
1 ps. purple and white ditto same Price
1 ps. either a yellow figure or a yellow ground about 15 per yd
2 ps. blue & white striped Linseys narrow Stripes
[torn] red striped ditto
1 ps white Linseys about 13d. per yard
1 End (or about 10 or 12 yards) of chocolate coloured broad Cloth about 12s./ per yard
1 End (about same quantity) of light coloured ditto
1 ps. narrow brown Cloth (qty. about 18 yards) at 22d. per yard
1 ps. ditto about 24 yds. at 23d. or 2s./
1 ps. yard blue ditto abt 28 yards at 5s or 5s/1d
5 ps. Shalloons to suit the above
1 ps. fine blue Shalloon } more
1 ps. fine scarlett ditto }
2 bags mohair Buttons to suit the fine Cloths
1 ps. blue nap't Witneys about 24 yds
2 doz mens yarn Stockings at 10/6 per doz
2 doz do at 12s. per doz
2 doz boys do at 8 or 9s. per doz
3 doz mens ribbd Hose at 36s per doz

I am also desired by a Hatter here to procure him the following hat Furnture Viz
18 doz hair hat Buttons
18 doz common Looping
18 doz hat strings or Banding
18 doz hat Frogs
2 lb. blue Galls
4 lb. Verdigrease
2 fine bow Strings
2 coarse ditto
2 cloathiers Cards
Please to send also for one of our Silver Smiths
1 pair brass Flasks of 6 Inches } for casting Silver
1 pair ditto of 8 Inches }
1 doz flat Files } about 8 Inches long for filing Silver
1 doz half round do. }
1 smiths Hammer about 3 Lb. weight
12 lb. Emmery
6 very good Hones for setting Razors

I have only to repeat that I shall endeavour to make you a good remittance the coming Fall and am Sir &ca.

Messrs. Devonshier Reeve & Lloyd

Savannah Georgia March 27th 1759

Gentlemen I enclosed you the 10th. last January Two Setts Bills Exchange amounting to ninety Pounds Sterling, which I hope have safely reached you and met with due honour - in my said Letter I acquainted you that as Capt Forten arrived in Carolina so very late in the Winter Season, that I had almost lost the sale for the woollens you shipt me by him that I shoud have a Sufficiency for my next Winters Demand, and consequently then thought that I shoud have no manner of Occasion to trouble you with any other Order for the present year but as I have lately had a good Proposal for extending my Bussiness, I must request you to send me as soon as possible the following under Insurance marked T R Namely
3 ps. striped Duffills
300 yards best white PLains about 13d. per yard
100 yards good blue PLains about same price
2 ps. blue Strouds wormed thus [design drawn in manuscript]
2 ps. ditto " " " "
2 ps. red ditto wormed in same Manner
2 . . 0 . . 0 frying Pans sorted
2 . . 0 . . 0 Iron Potts—midling Sizes

3 doz small ditto—or Isop Potts
6 doz Indian Hatchetts
3 doz. somewhat larger
4 doz broad Hoes about 15/6 or 16s. per doz
2 doz narrow ditto
4..0..0 Iron Hoops for Casks done up in flat bundles of 1..0..0 each
30m. 8d. Nails - 20m. of which in Bags of 4m. each

If no Vessels shoud offer for this Province direct youl please to consign them to Mr Josiah Smith Junr in Charles Town, and as I shall endeavour to make you suitable Remittances I have only to add that I am Gentlemen

Yr. most hble Servant

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah 31st March 1759

Sir As I have wrote you pretty fully lately I have nothing at present to trouble you with except to request your care in forwarding the 4 enclosed Letters for London & Bristol; they are 2 originals and their Copies and may go per the first two Conveyances that may offer for any Port of Britain

I am Sr. &ca

I have marked these on their Backs B

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah April 2d. 1759

Sir I have made bold by the present opportunity of Capt Talbert to trouble you with the forwarding of four more Copies of those Letters enclosed you the 31 Ulto per Mr Mackenzie (Marked on their backs B) providded their may not be sufficient Opportunities to send them away direct to England, you may put some of 'em on board any Vessells that may offer for Lisbon and shall be Obliged to you note their Conveyances as well off those other Letters you've lately received from me

I am Sir &ca
Thos Rasberry

P S Yesterday our Pilot inform'd us that last Wednesday he saw off our Light House, 3 large Vessells standing for your Bar one of which he sopposes to be the Henrietta Capt Rains (as he knows the Vessell) should it prove so, any Goods on board her for me please to load 'em in Talbert if he comes back here again direct

Samuel Lloyd Savannah Georgia

Messrs Byvanck & Co Georgia April 2 1759

Gentlemen

Agreeable to your Order we have put on board Capt Law Twelve

Barrels Rice as per the enclosed Invoice (which as you'l notice exceeds the Amount of what we receiv'd from Mr Clifton's protested Bill 8/5-3/4 Sterling

We hope you're now Satisfied and that we may receive no more Complaints on this Subject, more especially when we assure you that several Debts in your Sales are yet unsatisfied, nor have we any Prospect of recovring some of them notwithstanding we have made 'em good to you contrary to custom

We are Gent Yours &cra

P S you have herein Capt Law's Bill Lading for the Rice

Messrs John & Ulrick Tobler Savannah April 12 1759

Gentlemen I received the Almanacks you sent me from Charles Town and shall send some of them to the Southward as you Desire. The Goods that you bespoke I have now Deliver'd to Mr Shanols in your Boat as per the enclosed Bill parcells amounting to £156.7.4½ Sterg which I wish safe to your Hands. I have a parcel of Goods Just arrived at Charles Town in Capt Raines from London Should you want any more Articles before you come Down again you'l please to acquaint me & they shall be sent you by

Gentlemen
Yours &cra
Thomas Rasberry

The Pomeranias, Irish Linnens, cotton Checks DowLas, Stockings, Nonsoprettys, Caps, Laces Gartering, thread Buttons, Nutmegs & mohair Buttons are all in a Trunk. The Narrow Cloth, Shalloons & Buckram in a bundle No 12 striped Linseys a Bundle No. 12. Blue Witneys Do. 32 Red Lead in a small Cag

3/4 Checks Thimbles
Rules files & Tax } in a bundle no Mark

Allom in a bag Currans in a bag
Shoes & Gimblets in a bag; Nails in 6 Bags & the other Articles are Loose

Mr Cornelius Cook Savannah April 13th. 1759

Sir I received your Letter per Shanols and had prepared as many of the Articles you wrote for as I had but he refused to take any of them in, as his Boat, he says is already as deep as she can Swim he also refused several other Articles besides yours, on this Account so that we must for another Opportunity

I am Sir
Yours &cra

Mr Roper Dawson Savannah Georgia April 14 1759

Sr. I sometime agoe acquainted you with the situation of Mr Maxtons Affairs and that he had left the Province but however he is returned again and has made some Proposals to his Creditors of Compounding which the Majority of them have Accepted if you think proper to come into those Measures that I shall accept on account of a much larger Demand I have on him you'l Please to acquaint me as soon as Possible

As your Affair will remain in Susp[ense] Till I know your sentiments. His Proposals have been Various so that I can not say yet what the Terms may be that will be agreed on

I am Sir
Yr. very Hble Servant
Thomas Rasberry

Joseph Butler Esqr Savannah April 20 1759

Sir I received your Letter by your Negroes Baruck and Frank and agreeable to your order have Delivered them

15 Yds osnabrigs	@ 10d.	0.12.6
18 Best Broad hoes (cost 22d ea)	@ 2/9	2.9.6
1 quire Paper		0.1.0
1 Knife		0.0.9
		£3.3.9

I Should very gladly have sent you the Pigtail Tobacco but Mr Nunes bought the last I had Yesterday I expect some more very soon As to the Chintz I have a few ps by me but they are quite ordinary therefore I Do not send any at present but I have a fine parcel of English Print'd Cottons Chintz printed Linnens &cra Just arrived in Capt Rains from London which I expect up from Charels To. every Hour Together with a Variety of other Goods as soon as they come to Hand I shall lay aside one or Two or more of the neatest patterns for your Choice & in respect to the Charge of whatever you may Please to take of us you may be satisfied of having every Thing on the best Terms.

You will (it's probable) have heard of the Arrival of our Attorney General (Clifton) and Chief Justice, Grover, both of which came in Capt Rains The News they bring is that the Nation is [in] High Spirits the Two Houses of Parliament [are] Unamimous in Carrying on the Warr a great naval Armament equipping supposed for Canada and an immense Sum of Money granted by Parliament for the Service of the current year. This is all the news at present that can be depended on, tho' its said that Guadaloupe is now entirely in our Possession and that a Squadron of French M. of War have Shipt into

Martinico and there Block'd in by Commodore Moore, but we think these Two last Articles may yet want a Confirmation a few months more may be productive of some important News from all Quarters

I am Sir (for W R & Self)

Yours &cra

P.S. There's no good pigtail Tobacco in Town else I shoud have bought some for you

Mr William Butler Savannah April 24 1759

I have your Letter of the 23d Instant and have Sent you the following Articles per your Negroe Whanny

2 Loaves Sugar wt 22 lb 14 @ 11d.	1.0.11½
25 Yards OSnab[rig] @ 9d.	0.18.9
1 lb OSnab[rig] Thread cost 19d.	0.2.6
1 lb Salt Petre (cost @ Johnson & Co)	0.2.0
1 Groce Corks	0.2.0
	£2.6.2½

As my Goods, by Capt Rains come here only Yesterdy I have not yet had Time to get any of 'em Landed (except a very few Articles that you do not write for) but I have some Scots Osnabrigs that could not be got at yet in the Schooner that cost 7d per Yd in London that which I now send you is Charged 5½ exclusive the expence of receiving the Bounty and which I believe youl find to be good. I am Sir

Yours &cra

P S. Youl please Sir to excuse my Desiring you for the future to Direct to me only as our Trade is Carried on Solely in my [name]

Mr William Thomson Savannah Georgia May 3d. 1759

Sir I have just Time to acknowledge the receipt of your Favour per the Harrietta Capt. Rains with the Goods you shipt me by him-the Bale of Irish Linnens received some considerable Damage but not sufficient to recover from the Insurers therefore no Survey was taken. As I propose to ship you a parcel of Rice of this years Crop I must desire you to send me out a Vessell that will carry about five hundred or five hundred & fifty Barrels on the following Conditions namely

not to exceed six Pounds sterling per Ton Freight, to be limitted to be here by the 20th. January next and in Case the Vessel does not arrive by the 20th. February than she is to be at my Option whether I will take or refuse her. to be allowed forty two working Days to load in and the Vessel to touch at Cowes for your Order whether to proceed to London, Hambro, Bremen &ca as you shall judge most for my Interest. If you can procure a Vessell on the above mentioned

Terms you'l doubtless advise me thereof as soon as possible that I may prepare to give her dispatch-as I shall shortly write you again I have only to add that

I am Sir

Your most humb Servant.

Messrs. Gordon & Elliott will be [joint]ly concerned with me in loading this Vessel Mr Elliott expects to be with [me ve]ry shortly

Mr John Smith Savannah April 27th. 1759

Sir Capt Tubbs the Bearer brings you the hhd Deer Skins to be encluded in your Invoice to Mr Wm Thomson for My Acount its marked TRN 1 contains 330 Skins and weighs net 474 lb if it can be put Directly on Board from Tubbs it would be so much the better as it then escapes yr Duty. the Skins are in general good tho small and you'l please rate 'em as you do your own which I apprehend may be about 16s/ your Curry. I shall contrive if possible to write Mr Thomson by the going Fleet.

Your new Overseer (Conner) was with me to Day to enquire whither you had left any Directions about supplying some of your Negroes with Iron Potts & some OSnabrig which he says was promised them. I told them I would write you about it as its probable you might Intend to send these Articles from Charles Town if not youl please to acquain[t] me soon as they may be uneasy about it I have nothing more at present to add than that I am Sir &cra

Mr Josiah Smith Junr. Sunday May 5 1759

Sir/ I wrote you a Line two Days agoe and enclosed you two Letters to forward Mr Thomson I now send you four Copies more of said Lres which you'l please to send away by as many Conveyances you'l also find herein 3 Letters for Dr. Bearcroft which are also Copies and must go on Bod. Different Vessels. I'me Desired by a Friend to procure him 6 lb. pearl Barley which if readily to be met with in Charles To. should be glad you wou[ld] Send me [plus mark] when an Opportunity Offers. & as I shall have Occasion to write you again soon I shall only add that I am Sir

Yours &cra

P S. I have enclosed Twenty Four Pounds in your Paper Currency which please to credit me with

Mr John Smith Savannah May 7: 1759

Sir/ I have just Time to enclose you the 3d and 4th. of Elliott & Gordon's Bills on our Friend Mr Thomson. I hope youve received my Hhd. Skins per Tubbs and you'l please just to mention the Vessel

they're shipt in for London, as the Boat is instantly going away I can only add that

I am D[ear] Sir
Your most Obedient Servant

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah 7 May: 1759

Sir The Boat this comes in being detain'd somewhat longer than expected has given me an Opportunity of troubling you with the Care of a few Lres more to forward those to Mr Dawson & Mr Byvanck are Copies of each other and must go away seperately, that to Mr Lloyd may go per any Opportunity you think proper; if Crawdy's Boat shou'd be with you when this comes to hand please to put a hogshead Rum on Board her, or send it by the first Oppty. afterward if by a Vessell that clears out Debenture will do best as that Advantage equals the Freight

I am Sir &cr
T R

As Ime not in immediate want of the Rum youl send it by a Vessell that passes your Offices

Samuel Lloyd Esq. Savannah May 7: 1759

As the bearer of this setts off in a few hours for Charles Town I can only just acknowledge the rect of your sundry Favours of the 9 & 13th Decembr. & 2d January last the Contents of all which I duly Notice but cannot reply to them now for want of Time if any Opportunity offers for Charles To before the Departure of the Fleet I shall do my self the Pleasure of writing you more fully but I'me afraid I shall not be in Time as its said they are to sail in a few Days and in this case you may expect to hear from me by the next opportunity's afterwards and in the interim remain Dr Sir

Yours &cra
Thomas Rasberry

PS Mrs. Clifton is now in our Prison having caused a great Deal of Disturbance here since she arrived but some are of opinion that her Husband is in a great measure the aggressor but I cannot descend to particulars now

Capt. Longstaff Savannah May 11th. 1759

I have your Favour of the 7th Instant enclosing me a Certificate to Cancel your Custom House Bond which I have seen done. I am sorry to inform you that your Wine remains yet unsold and I am afraid will lay on Hand some Time

I have offered it to Several but to no Purpose and have been thinking whether it might not be most to your Interest to send it to Mr Banbury or to retail it here in small Qtys but then in the latter

Case it would be a considerable Time in s[elling] it and also subject to some Deficiency in measur[ing] might fetch abt 5/6 per gallon the present price or [you] might think it proper to let it stay a month or 2 longer till Wines become more saleable perhaps it might be better. I should be very glad to know your sentiments on either of these Proposals & that which you may prefer shall be comply'd with by yours &cra

PS It might not be improper to let me know the lowest Price you would have it sold at per the Pipe per the next Opportunity.

Mr Nathaniel Polhill Savannah May 21 1759

Sr. I have only Time at present to enclose the within Certificates for the Indico and if by consulting your Friends in Chas. Town any other more efficacious Means can be fallen on to prevent the loss of the Bounty. I shall readily comply with any other method that you can prescribe & am Sr. Yrs. &cra.

Messers. Devonshire Reeve & Lloyd
orig. by Grey Elliott Savannah May: 22d. 1759

Gentlemen My last was dated the 27th March which I hope may come safe to your Hands and also that you've received the few Lines I wrote you under the 10th. of Jany. last which contained 2 Drafts on London for £90 Sterling which I make no Doubt are paid & passed to my Credit. I now enclose you Revd. Mr. Zouberbuhler 1st. Bill on Ewd. Pearson Esqr. in my Favour together with a Letter of Advice dated the 1st. Instant For £50 Sterg. which when paid youl place to my Account the remainder [of] the sett will be sent you as Opportunities offer.

I am Gentlemen
Your very Humble Servant
T Rasberry

Mr William Thomson Savannah May the 24 1759

Sir By this Opportunity of our mutual Friend Mr Grey Elliott I hand you the 1st. of 4 setts of Bills Exchange on your City amounting to one hundred three Pounds & three Shillings Sterling which I make no Doubt will be duly honour'd and passed to my Credit Vizt

John M Bolzius first Bill to me on Reverend Thomas Broughton dated 28th Ulto	£ 3.3.0
Ditto's do. on do. to me 2d Instant	50.0.0
Govr. Ellis's do. on John Ellis to Francis Harris 2d Instant	30.0.0
Jos. Ottolenghe's do. to me on revd. Mr Browhton 11th Inst	20.0.0
	£103.0.0

The Gun Powder you shipt me in per the Harrietta is extreemly bad, and am afraid will not sell at any rate some that you sent me per the Venus Cecil was of like Quality and am of Opinion that Mr Norman has imposed on you by putting up either Decayed Powder or such that is not proporly made as the grain of it is immediately reduced to a fine Flour by rubbing it in the Hands

I am Sir

Your very Humble Servant

T R

PS. to the above

As Mr. Elliott will be with you (I hope) in Time for chartering the Vessell I wrote you about the 3d Instant, and in which he is partly concerned I make no doubt but your joint Consultation's may tend to our mutual Advantage in this Affair.

Mr Corneilis Cook Per Wm. Little

Savannah May 25 1759

Sr. I have sent you the foregoing Articles amounting to £18.17.7 Sterling by Mr Little agreeable to your Order which I wish safe to your Hands. the rum & oakum I bought here and am to pay ready Money for it therefore must beg youl be punctual in Discharging your Account the latter End of the Year

I am Sir Yours &ca

Messrs. John & Ulrick Tobler Savannah May 25th 1759

Gentlemen/ Agreeable to your Letter by the Revd Mr Zubly of the 15 Instant I have sent you the foregoing Goods amounting to £27.13.9½ Sterling I had only 2 ps. 18 Yard Callicoe left nor could I get any here that was suitable or white Rope large enough for your Purpose I could only send now 9 Cotton Gowns which I hope may be sufficient for the present. I should be glad if you could let me have as many Beef Hides as possible this Year if you have not engaged them - they are for a Friend of mine a Tanner, who Desires me to write you about 'em

I am Sir &cra &cra

Mr James Fisher Savannah June 6th. 1759

I should readily have comply'd with your request of the 31st. Ulto but on producing the enclosed Certificate to Mr Spencer he refused to endorse it on Account of the Quantity being put down in Figures instead of words at length therefore your whole sett is rendered useless until you furnish me with another liable to this Objection, which you'l Please to do & I'll Forward 'em by next Oppo. afterwards

I must beg of you to acquaint the Person that has the Care of Messrs. Elliott & Gordon's Store that I have 900 lb. Gun Powder of theirs, & that I beg it would be sent for as soon as Possible as I have no Conveniency to lodge such a Dangerous Article with Safety

I am Sir

Your Most Obedient

Thos. Rasberry

Mr Edward Jones (Chas Town) Savannah Georgia June 6th 1759

Sr. I receiv'd from Mr Fisher 4 Certificates for Indico sent to Chas. Town last April, which (at Mr Fishers request) I produced to our Collector for his Endorsement, who objected to one of the Certificates on Account of the Quantity of Indo. being put Down in Figures instead of words and therefore the whole sett is rendered useless, as to you until I can get said Certificate replaced by another from Sunbury, when this is done I shall enclose them to you per the next Opportunity afterwards

& am Sir

Yr. &craaa.

Messrs John & U. Tobler Savannah June 5th. 1759

Gentlemen Agreeable to your Desire I have settled with John Thomas and taking his Bond & Mortgage of a Negroe for £26.8.3 Sterling payable the 5th next January with Interest from the Date, which includes the Principal & Interest due you on the Ballance of his Account to this day together with 40s/ Sterg. the supposed Charges of the writ; if its more he is to pay you the Difference if less, you are to account with Him for the Overcharge, because we could not see Mr Pryce before the Bond was executed

Robert Hudson has paid £49 Caro[lina] Currency and promises to pay the whole of his Debt in about a fortnight. Mr Pryce has promised to write to you soon about Rowland Pritchets Estate he does not seem to want any Feas at present. If he had it would have been readily paid him by

Gentlemen

Yours &caa

Mr Francis Arthur Savannah 7th June 1759

Sir Agreable to your Letter I have delivered to Mr Richardson 32 qtr. Casks and 8 half qtr Casks Gunpowder making together 900 lb. marked ETG for Account of Messrs Elliott & Gordon, which I wish safe to your hands and am Sir

June 18th. 1759

I received your Letter, in respect to the Flour you mention that came in Martin. Mr Powell had the Care of it part of which he sent

per Crawdy & the remainder it seems Robt Carlile now brings you. Said Carlile has taken from me a Few Trifles to the amount of 8/11 Sterling which is to be paid out of the Freight money of this Flour & for which please to give me Credit with Messrs. Elliott & Gordon I should be much Obliged to you to discharge that small Note we have of yours on Account of our late Compan[ny], as I want very much to put an End to those old Affairs.

I am Sir

yours &cra &cra

Messrs. Smith & Nutt Savannah June 19: 1759

I receiv'd your Favour of the 29th Ulto with the 2 Boxes Cinamon & Cloves and offered them to the Sothern Gentlemen you mention, but was told by their Interpreter (Mr Nunes) that they had no Occasion for Spices but if I could furnish them with more than treble the Quantity of blk Pepper they would gladly take it at a good Advance. As they are not gone yet I dont return 'em per this Opportunity but shall try if they'l take any part of it on the terms you mention. I have herein enclosed you Mr John Smith the 5th & 6th. of Messrs. Elliott & Gordons Draft on Wm. Thomson for £80 SterLg. & am

Gentlemen yours &cr

Mr William Banbury Savannah June 20th. 1759

I acquainted Capt Longstaff the 11th Ulto. that I had not then disposed of his 4 Pipes Wine that he left in my hands nor had any Prospect of doing any thing with them immediately & therefore disired his opinion of my sending 'em round to you, but I'me yet without his answer - its probable he may not be in Ch To. now which is the Occasion of my troubling you with this to have your Advice concerning it and if it might be thought best to let it remain here a Little longer you'l acquaint me with the lowest Price I may let it go at. I think he said it cost him 20£ SterLg per Pipe, but I'me afraid it suffered by the Cold in Bringing round here from Ogeechee as it came in an open Boat & which the hot weather has not yet sufficiently recovered

You'l Please to Favour me with a Line in reply per return of the Bearer & You'l Oblige

Sir Yours &cra &cra

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah June 20th. 1759

I received your Favour of the 31st Ulto with the Barley, and notice the several Conveyances by which my late eUropian Letters are forwarded I have also received out of Talbert one hogshead of

Rum but he Brought not a Line with it, therefore I dont know the Cost of it. I must beg you to send me if readily to be had 1 Yard of Canvas for Needle Work together with about 4 or 5 ounces of Crewels in shades well assorted and should also be glad to know what Vessells are now with you for euroape & when there may b[e] a probability of there time of sailing

You'l Please to favour me with the Price of Rum per Talbert & also your opinion whether there may be any material alteration in the Cost of that Article shortly or not.

Mr Alexander Shaw (at augusta) Savannah June 28th 1759

I received your Letter of the 19 Inst & agreeable to your desire now send you in Mr. Golphin's Boat one Quarter Cask Rum 24½ Gallon at 4/8 per Gallon £5.14.4
paid for the Cask 0.3.0

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£5.17.4

Should you have occasion for any EUropian Commodities I should be glad to supply you on the present Terms (11 for 1) & am Sir

Yours &cra

Messrs John & Ulric Tobler Savannah June 28

Gentlemen I received your Letter per Mr Hanner & have sent you as you Desire all the Articles you mentioned amounting to £45.12.3 Sterling

There's not a ps. of Bristol Strouds in this Town else should have sent some instead of these as they come very dear now from London. I have settled your Account with John Thomas & taken his Bond & Mortgage on his Negroe for £26.8.3 Sterg payable the 5th. next January. Robert Hudson has paid me a Note of Hand of Mr Bryans for £49 your Currency & promises to pay the remainder of his Debt very shortly. I have spoke to Mr [Pr]yce Concerning Rowland Pritchetts affair [and he] promissed to write to you about it. I have received the Cag Butter the Beaver & the 2 hides & shall do the best I can with them & am Gentlemen

Yours &cra &cra

Mr William Thomson Savannah Georgia June 29th. 1759

Sir The enclosed is Copy of what I wrote you the 24th Ulto per Mr Grey Elliott and herein you've the seconds of the Sundry Bills therein mentioned amounting to £103.3.0 Sterling. I have now the pleasure to advise you of Capt. Dickenson's safe Arrival in this River by whom I am favoured with yours of the 29th March and have received the Goods shipt me by him all in good Order and the Amount £179.0.10 have accordingly carried to your Credit. I notice Dr. Bearcrofts Ob-

jection to Mr Ottolenghe's Bill of £15 and approve of your not protesting it as none but him and myself were concerned and I hope he'l give the Society sufficient Satisfaction to procure its payment. I also observe what you say in respect to the Certificates given here for the Pay of the Rangers and thank you for this Remark as it will guide me in any future Concerns I may have with them. I notice your making Insurance on my Interest in the Squerries, Mitchell from Charles Town at 6 Guineas per Ct to depart with Convoy for England, which youl learn She did, and since then I sent a hogshead Deer Skins to [Mr] John Smith who acquaints me it went in the Harrietta Rains included in his Insurance made on that Vessel and its proceeds to be carried to my Credit when sold. Mr Grey Elliott will also desire you to pass £129.7.5 sterling to my Credit to answer a like Sum I've assumed for him here. I mention this at Mr Elliotts desire who I hope you'l have the pleasure of seeing long before this reaches you. In mine of the 3d Ulto you was desired to send me out a Vessel of about 500 or 550 barrels which if She did not arrive by the 20th. February next was to be at my Option to take or refuse. Messrs Elliot & Gordon will partly load her and as its probable her Freight out may be done on very low Terms I must request you to send me the following Articles under Insurance per said Vessell Namely

800 yards white Edinburghs
1200 yards brown do.
1000 years Irish OSnabrig
500 yards blue ditto - not to exceed 7d. per yard
4 ps. 7/8ths. Irish Linnen at 15d. per yard
4 ps. ditto at 18d. per do.
4 ps. ditto at 21d. per do.
2 ps. ditto at 2/9 per do.
4 ps. yard ditto at 18d. per do
4 ps. ditto at 21d. per do
2 ps. ditto a 2/9 per do.
2 ps. ditto a 3/6 per do.
6 ps. 9/8 Sheeting - 4 ps. at 11d per yd., 2 ps at 14d. per yd.
3 ps. Dowlas a 16/ or 16/6 per ps
[torn] ps. ditto a 18/ or 18/6
[torn] ps. ditto a 20/ or 21/
[torn] ditto a 24 or 25/
3 ps. Dowlas at 28/ per ps.
3 ps. ditto at 30/
4 ps. 7/8ths Garlix at 18s./ per ps.
4 ps ditto at 22s./
4 ps ditto at 26s/

4 ps 3/4ths ditto at 18/
4 ps ditto at 20/
4 ps ditto at 25/
8 ps. manchester blue striped cotton Hollands at or under 14d. per yard
4 ps ditto red striped ditto at Do
Please to let the above Stripes be pretty broad and if theres any to be had for less than 14d per yd. it will best suit me
6 ps 7/8 cotton Checks at 13d or 14 d per Ell
4 ps. ditto 15d. do.
2 ps ditto 16d do.
6 ps yard ditto at 13 or 14d per Ell
4 ps. ditto at 16d. do
2 ps ditto at 20d. do
let none of the above Checks have any red or yellow in them
16 blue & white striped cotton Gowns - vizt
8 of which are 8/3 each and 8 ditto at 9/6 ea.
8 red & white striped ditto - 4 at each of the above Prices
youl please to take Care that the Stripes of all the above 24 Gowns run the length way of the Cloth
12 narrow Hollands about 8/6 each
12 ps. cotton Romall Handkerchiefs at 10/9 per ps
1 ps holland long Lawn at 52/ per ps
1 ps ditto at 60/
1 ps ditto at 72/
3 ps. clear Lawn sorted from about 45/ to 55/ per ps.
1 ps. flowered ditto about 4/6 per yard
1 ps. spotted ditto about 5/ per yd.
2 ps. plain India Dimmitty 12 yds each - about 35s. per ps
6 ps. 18 yard Callicoes, at or about 26s. per ps.
6 ps ditto about 30/ per ps
let all the above Callicoes have white Grounds with large showy Flowers
6 ps. dark ground Callicoes about 16/ per ps
6 ps. ditto about 28 per ps
6 ps. ditto at 20/
6 ps. Chints 5 Colours at 20/ or 21s each
6 ps. ditto at 22/6 each
6 ps. full Chints at 26/ ea.
6 ps. ditto India Chints say 40/ at 40/. each
2 ps. purple & white birds eye printed Linnen about 17 yards each at 20d. per yard
16 ps. ditto double china blue of 8-3/4 or 9 yards each at 22d per yard

1 ps. english printed Cotton Chints pattern about 28 yds. about 4/ per yard
4 ps. fine printed India dimmitty Chints - 2 Gowns each at 60/ per ps
All the foregoing (except the 18 yard Callicoes) are Patterns for Womens Gowns and as a great deal depends on the livelyness of their Colours and handsomeness of their Patterns I shoud be greatly obliged to you to get any Gentlewoman of your Asquaintance to chuse them before they are put up
6 flanders Bed Ticks about 16s/ each
4 10/4 ditto better
6 ps. brown Roles
4 ps. flaxen rushia Linnen for Towells or about 100 Ells at 4-3/4d or 5d. per Ell
8 doz. blue & white paste work Handkerchiefs at 12/9 per doz
8 doz blue & white spotted ditto at 12/ per doz
6 doz cherriderry or silk & cotton ditto
2 doz silk culgee Handkerchiefs at 25/ per doz
2 doz ditto at 30/ per doz
2 doz ditto at 40/ per doz
2 doz mens striped single silk Caps

1 doz. mens knit worsted Breeches Patterns
let 6 pr. of them be buff coloured, 4 prs black, 2 prs scarlet
please to send a few buff coloured Buttons with the above
2 ps diaper napkinning } midling Quality
2 ps damask ditto }
6 cotton Counterpins for Beds sorted
6 check Matrasses stuffed with hair of 2 Sizes
2 doz womens coloured silk Mittens at 42s/ per doz - send none black
1 doz womens white cotton Mittens at 18s. per doz }
1 doz dittos ditto at 22s. per doz } opened armd
1 doz girls ditto at 12 or 13/ per doz }
2 doz mens cotton Caps about 8 or 9s per dozen
2 doz ditto striped about same price
3 doz. mens knitt cotton Stockings a good sort
6 doz ditto's knitt white thread ditto about 45s per doz
3 doz dos ditto about 40/ per doz
2 doz dos wove ditto about 35/ per doz
2 doz dos ditto about 30/ per doz
2 doz dos knitt brown thread ditto about 30/ per doz
2 doz dos wove ditto about 24/ per dz.
2 doz. womens white cotton Stockings a good sort

2 doz dos thread ditto about 25/ per doz
2 doz dos ditto about 22/ per doz
2 doz boys thread Stockings for boys of 12 years old
2 doz ditto for girls of same Age
12 lb. OSnabrig Thread about 18d per Lb.
12 lb. ditto in half pounds about 15d.
12 lb. different coloured Thread at 2/6 per lb
6 lb. fine blue ditto same price
4 lb. whited brown ditto at 2/2 per Lb.
2 lb. stitching Thread at 3/ per Lb.
2 lb. ditto at 3/8 per Lb.
2 lb. scots ounce Thread at 6/
2 lb. ditto at 10/
1 lb. ditto at 15/
1 lb. ditto at 20/
½ doz dresden Tape for mens Stocks
2 doz narrower ditto for wristbands
12 doz dutch Pretties
2 lb. Crewells in Shades - well shaded
6 groce shirt mold Buttons at 18d or 19d per groce
4 groce flatt do. for linnen Waistcoats about 21d. per gro
4 groce do smaller
1 groce white narrow 4d Ribbon
1 groce red ditto
1 groce blue ditto
1 groce green ditto
} about 16s. per groce
24 doz figured Ribbons at 6/ per doz
2 ps. white sattin ditto
2 ps. black ditto
2 ps. black 10d. double Ribbon
2 ps single ditto
2 ps white double ditto
2 ps. single ditto
2 ps. double purple ditto
2 ps. scarlet in grain ditto
2 ps. straw coloured ditto
2 ps. deep blue ditto
1 ps. blue sattin ditto
4 Fans at 4/ each
4 ditto at 5/ ea
4 ditto at 7 or 7/6 each

Please to order the above Fans to be chiefly Landscapes as the India Mounts are not well liked here

4 doz youths felt Hatts about 10/ or 12s/ per dozn.
6 doz mens ditto at 14/per doz
4 doz dos ditto at 24/ per doz
4 doz dos ditto at 5/ each
1 doz dos ditto at 7/6 each
1 doz dos ditto at 10/ each
1 doz dos ditto at 12/ each
2 doz Womens black horse hair Hatts
4 doz Womens coarse straw Hatts
4 doz somewhat finer
2 doz girls ditto
3 doz mens single channel Pumps about
2 doz womens stuff damask ditto abo[ut]
let one doz of these be round Toes and none black
1 ps. light brown Sagathies } for mens wear
1 ps. blue ditto
1 ps. blue double Allopeen } for ditto
1 ps. green ditto
1 ps. blue single ditto 30 yds } for Lineings
1 ps. green ditto 30 do.
Please to send a Proportion of Buttons & other Trimmings suitable for the above
2 ps. dark brown Jeans about 50s. per ps
1 ps. light coloured plain Fustian about 34s. per ps
1 ps. light coloured figured ditto about same price
1 ps. brown Thicksetts of a midling quality
6 Reams fools cap Paper at 12/ per Ream
6 Reams common ditto at 8/ or 8/6 per do
1 doz Slates at 4/6 per doz
1 doz ditto larger at 8/ or 8/6 per doz
3 groce Slate Pencils at 2/6 or 3/ per groce
6 doz Ink Powders at 3/6 or 4/ per doz
6 Lead Ink Stands with Glasses at 15d. or 16d each
2 doz new Testaments at 11s/ per dozen
1 doz Bibles at 2/6 each
2 doz dyches spelling Books at 7s. per doz
4 doz gilt leather Letter Cases or pocket Books abt. 7s per doz
2 doz marble covered blank Books at 12/ per doz
2 doz. Childrens writing Books with Copies engraved on the head of each Page
4 doz Tin pudding Pans at 10/ per doz
2 doz larger ditto at 12s. per doz

8 doz tin quart Potts 2 doz qt tin black Jacks
4 doz pint ditto
4 doz ½ pint ditto
1 doz tin Tea Kettles about 2/6 each
1 doz smaller ditto 2/ each
1 doz smaller ditto 1/4 each
2 doz tin Coffee Potts - 2 Sizes
1 doz 5 pint Boilers about 1/4 each
1 doz 3 pint ditto about 1/ each
2 doz 1 lb. Cannisters 5/ per doz
1 doz 2 lb. ditto 10/ per doz
4 Nests tin Kettles
8 large Tin Kitchens or Ovens with 2 Grates about 9s. each
4 smaller ditto about 5/ each
6 doz. 3 quart pewter Basons
4 doz. 2 quart ditto
2 doz 1 quart ditto
3 doz quart pewter Porrengers
3 doz. pint ditto
3 pewter Cullenders at 6/ each
3 ditto at 7s
2 doz felling Axes at 30/ per doz
6 doz Broad Hoes at 15/6 per doz
4 doz ditto better about 18/ or 20s. per doz
2 doz narrow Hoes
2 doz quart long handle Iron Skilletts
2 doz pint ditto
2 doz Curry Combs - & 1 doz brushes for ditto
1 doz socket Spades handled about 34 or 35/ per doz
2 . . 0 . . 0 frying Pans sorted
2 . . 0 . . 0 Iron Potts - large Sizes
50 lb. dutch Shoe Thread
6 doz. skains Spinnell
4 m.good gun Flints
30 m. 20d Nails, 20 m. of which in bags of 2 m. each
20 m. 10d ditto, 10 m. of which in bags of 2 m each
20 m. 6d ditto, 12 m. of which in bags of 4 m. ea.
50 m. 5d ditto, 30 m. of which in bags of 6 m. each
50 m. 4d ditto, 30 m. of which in bags of 6 m. each
18 Grindstones Sorted chiefly midling Sizes
3 doz rub Stones for Carpenters
28 lb Glew
6 doz rag Stones

2 doz X garnet Hinges at 4/6 per doz
2 doz ditto at 6/6 per doz
3 doz Hinges with hooks at 4/6 per doz
3 doz ditto at 6/6 per doz
6 doz rice Sickles at 4/6 per doz
6 whites Hand saws at 7/6 each
[torn] doz. Carpenters Claw Hammers at 8/ per doz } with solid Cheeks
[torn] doz ditto at 13/ per doz
[torn] doz ditto at 15/ per doz
6 doz plane Irons sorted
2 doz split handle Table Knives & Forks at 3s/9 per doz
2 doz ditto at 3/6 per doz
2 doz ditto at 4/ per doz
2 doz ditto at 5/ per doz
4 doz bath handle Penknives at 2/6 per doz
6 doz enamelled handle do at 2/8 per doz
6 doz buck handle do at 3/6 per doz
4 doz ditto with Seals at 4/ per doz
4 doz. very good Penknives at 10/ or 12s. per doz
6 doz stag cuttoe Knives at 3/6 per doz
6 doz ditto at 4/
6 doz ditto at 4/6 per doz
6 doz ditto at 5/ per doz
4 doz mens white shoe Buckells at 4/4 per doz
4 doz dittos. ditto at 5/ per doz
4 doz neat womens ditto at 5/ per doz
4 doz mens wrought yellow ditto at 6/ per doz
4 doz dittos white ditto at 6/ per doz
4 doz. mens neat wrought pinchbeck at 9s. per doz
2 groce horn Combs at 12s/ per gro
2 groce ditto at 14/ or 15/ per gro
3 doz Ivory Combs at 6/ say 3 doz
3 doz ditto at 7/ say 3 doz
3 doz Spectacles in Cases at 6/ per doz
3 doz ditto better at 9/ per doz
2 doz Japannd Snuff Boxes at 4s./ per doz
2 doz ditto at 5/ per doz
2 doz ditto at 6/ per doz
2 doz ditto at 8/ per doz
2 doz burning Glasses at 4/ per doz
2 doz ditto at 6/ per doz
2 doz Horse Fleams about 7s. per doz
6 m. sorted Needles

4 doz steel Taylors Thimbles
2 doz womens silver ditto with steel Tops
6 m. perch fish Hooks at 4/
6 m. ditto larger at 5/
6 m. mackerel ditto at 6/
6 double groce flat white mettal Buttons at 4/6 per doub. gro
6 single groce Jacket ditto at 21d. per gro.
1 double groce wrought yellow mettal Buttons on Ivory moulds & Shanks at 18s. per double gro
1 double groce wrought white mettal ditto at same price
1 double groce neat wrought yellow ditto at 21s./ per dble gro
8 Powder Flasks at 2/6 ea.
4 ditto with rising Charger at 3/6 each
4 dozen 3 gallon stone Bottles
4 dozen 2 gallon ditto
4 dozen 1 gallon ditto
3 dozn. milk Pans about 7s. per doz
3 dozn smaller ditto about 5s. per doz
2 doz blue & white stone chamber Potts
2 doz do quart Mugs
2 doz do pint ditto
24 doz pair blue & White Cups & Saucers

2 doz gallon blue & white Bowls
4 doz 3 quart blue & white Bowls
8 doz 2 quart ditto
8 doz 3 pint ditto
[torn] doz quart ditto
[torn] pint ditto
8 doz half pint ditto
large Corks for the Bottles
4 doz white stone Plates flowered or scollopt
4 doz ditto plain
1 doz Dishes sorted to suit the above
2 doz mens yellow wash leather Gloves - pretty good
2 doz dittos buck skin ditto - not stiff Tops
2 doz womens sattin Leather Mittens } different Colours
1 doz dittos Gloves }
4 2 qt. china Bowls about 5/ each
4 3 pt. ditto about 3/6 each
4 quart ditto about 3/ each
4 pint ditto about 1/6 each

4 doz china Cups & Saucers about 4d. each
2 doz ditto better about 6d. each
let none of the Cups & Saucers be either Scollopt or ribbed but plain
6 doz hemp fish Lines a 2/6 per doz
12 doz. hemp fish Lines a 3/ per doz
12 doz ditto a 5/ per doz
12 doz ditto a 7 per doz
6 doz cotton Lines or chalk Lines at 10/ per doz
6 doz hambro Lines at 14/ per dozen
2 . . 0 . . 0 2 or 2¼ Inch white Rope
2 . . 0 . . 0 3 Inch tarr'd Ditto
6 mens hunting Saddles about 16/ each
400 lb. F Gunpowder in 1/4 and 1/8 barrels
5 . . 0 . . 0 Trading Balls
1 . . 0 . . 0 Musquet Balls
5 . . 0 . . 0 bird Shot
5 . . 0 . . 0 duck ditto
3 . . 0 . . 0 bristol ditto
2 . . 0 . . 0 small swan or Goose Shot
6 Ell wide netted Umbrelloes about 10s. each
6 copper Tea Kettles, pretty large
6 ditto smaller
6 ditto smaller
2 doz brass key Cocks at 18s/ per doz
2 doz common ditto at 17s.
200 lb. black Pepper - say 200 lb
4 lb Cinnamon
6 lb. Nutmegs
1 Chest bohea Tea about 300 lb
3 doz bottles durham flour Mustard
50 lb. common Starch
50 lb. pearl Barley
12 lb. fig blue in small Figs
1 . . 0 . . 0 Allom
1 Chest florence Oyl
about 20 gallons Lin Seed Oyl in Jugs 2 galls each
6 doz. barrels Lampblack
2 . . 0 . . 0 good cheshire Cheese
2 . . 0 . . 0 good gloster ditto
6 half hogsheads good London Porter in Iron bound Casks
200 lb. Saffron cut Tobacco in 1/4th and 1/2 pounds
50 lb.Westons pigtail ditto

3 doz. bottles good scots Snuff
2 doz 5 bushel Meal Sacks at 2/4 same as you sent by the Harrietta
4 pair girls Stays for girls of 12 or 14 years old
4 pair ditto for girls of 10 years old
4 pair ditto yet smaller
6 womens black silk Bonnetts same make as those you sent me per the Harietta

I woud have these Stays of a midling Quality and particular Charge must be given that the Backs must not be made of any kind of Woollen Stuff but rather of Fustian

[torn] ps. brown Pomerania Linnen about 140 Ells at 8d per Ell
[torn] brown Holland for mens Jacketts
[torn] [wo]mens coarse Lawn Handkerchiefs with striped border
[torn] ditto of a midling Quality
[torn] somewhat deeper in the Neck

notwithstanding I desire in the beginning of this Letter that the whole of the Articles before mentioned shoud come out in the Vessel I'me expecting youl send me, yet upon second Thoughts Ime of Opinion in order to prevent a total Disappointment it woud be better to have the Order divided as near as can be done with Conveniency & ship't me on two Bottoms except the following which may come out wholly in the chartered Ship - Namely

The Stationary; Tin Ware; Pewter, Ironmongery; Saddles; Chest Tea; Allom; Cheese; Beer; Stone & earthen Ware and China

but in case you shoud not be able to meet with a suitable Vessel to send me and no other shoud offer directly for this Port I woud have the following intirely omitted until one does offer as the Freight of such Articles from Charlestown here is heavy Namely -

Earthen & Stone Ware, Saddles, Cheese Beer Linseed Oyl, Lampblack and Grindstones.

Some mistake was made in the Handkerchiefs per Dickenson which prove to be all black Gauze instead of India Silk ones as ordered and the Cherriderry Handkerchief was not sent. Youl observe that I've affixed the Prices to most of the foregoing Articles but I don't mean [tha]t you shou'd strictly confine yourself to those ide[al] Prices but come as near them as possible. Mr Ottolenghe desires me to pay five Pounds Sterling to the revd Mr Thomas Broughton in London which I must beg you to do when he calls on you for that Purpose and charge my Account therewith. I expect very shortly to be able to make you a pretty large Remittance in Bills &ca. on London but cannot at present ascertain the Sum. youl have learnt that your Relation Mr Talfier arrived safe in Capt Dickenson and delivered me

your Favour of the [blank] in reply to which I can only assure you that it will be a pleasure to me to be anyways serviceable to him here.

I am Sir

Yr. most hble Servant

T. R.

P S The work of the mens channel Pumps are much complained off as the Stitching on the Soles soon give way and is occasioned as we suppose by the Threads being too small for the Aul Hole & youl please to let the Tea Kettles be filled with quart Bottle Corks and send also Two groce large Corks for the stone Bottles now wrote for. The Irish Linnens you sent me last were packed in a Bale and received a considerable Damage by salt Water, I must therefore desire for the future that all fine white Linnens may come out in Trunks.

Please to give Directions that the purple & white printed Linnens may be birds Eye not Scollopt or Shel'd work as they are not liked [Linn]ens may come out in French Plase [Please ?] to Give Direc[tion]

Mr. William ButLer Savannah July 14th. 1759

Sir I have supply'd your Overseer Mr Gould with sundry Goods agreeable to your Order to the Amount of £6.2.9 StLn. & underneath you have the Account of the Articles I now send you for your own Use amounting to £8.11.10¼ StLn. the BarreL of Flour I bought of Wood & Sheftal but I cannot meet with any milk Bread or Melasses I could have sent you a Cask of Water Bread but I was afraid it might not suit

I have no Claret nor is there any in Town (as I can Learn) except at the Taverns which I am told comes Dear & is not very Good the Articles I now send you for your own Use are

1 ps. Irish Osnabrigs 83 yard a 8½d.		2.18.9½
1 ps. Cotton Romalls		0.17.0
1 ps. ¾ Garlix		1.12.2
1 groce Corks		0.2.0
4 mens Hatts	a 1/9	0.7.0
2 ditto	a 2s/	0.4.0
3 small Iron Potts	at 1/9	0.5.3
		£6.6.2½
2 Potts somewhat Larger of M & H. a 3/9 ea		0.7.6
1 Barl. Flour of Wood & Sheftall 212 lb. Nt. a 13		1.18.1-¾
		£8.11.10¼

I have Delivered your Overseer a Seperate Bill Parcell of the things for himself.

PS to the above

I have not paid any Cash for any Thing bought for you but expect to be accountable for them when I settle my own Books the 1st. next January.

To Mr Josiah Smith Junr per Drummond

Savannah July 14th. 1759

Sir I received your Letter of the 28th Ulto. & Notice the Cost of Rum per Talbert as also your Opinion of the Price it may bear with you soon for which I thank you I have deliver'd the Bearer Capt Talbert tied in a Canvas Bag

229 Dollars	a	31/st	354.19
1½ ditto			0.15.6
1 half Bitt for			0.0.6
			355.15

Say three Hundred fifty five Pounds fifteen Shillings your Currency which I must beg of you to receive from him & pay the same to Messrs. Austin & Laurens for the account of the Revd Mr B Zouberbuhler our Minister taking their Receipt for said sum which youl please to transmit to me & youl please also to explain this payment to 'em as follows Vizt -

£350 is on account of a Bond they have of said Mr Zouberbuhler's & the remaining £5.15 answers for a Defective Pistole they returnd him sometime since I have enclosed you three Letters for Mr Thomson which I must request you to forward two of 'em by the first 2 Vessells that offers from Charles Town to any Port of Great Brittain & one to New York to go by the Pacquet these Lres ought to have been sent sometime agoe & I therefore beg of you not to omit sending 'em by the first opportunities. By the return of Talbert or Drummond (who will be with you shortly) please to send me 2 HHds. Rum & 2 barrells Tarr & be so Kind as to receive from the Bearrer [a] bundle of Beaver skins the Property of Mr Tobler of new Windsor who Desires me to send them to Charles To. for Sale [and] what ever they produce youl account with me for it I Should be glad to receive my Acct Current & am

Sir

Yours &ca &ca

Mr Isaac Brabant Savannah July 20th 1759

I have sent you by the Bearer Mr Feolman the Barrel of Sugar

I bought for you at the Prize Sales, for which I have Charged your Account as under.

I barrel Sugar wt	252	
	25	
	227 lb Wt at 28/6	3.4.8½
	Duty	0.10.0
		3.14.8½

Your Account has Credit for the Money you sent me.

Yours

T R

P.S. to Josiah Smith 14 July 1759

I had almost forgot to request you to send me a ble Turpentine which please not to omit as its much wanted if theres any Difference in the Size of the Barrels a small one would be most suitable.

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah August 1st. 1759

Sir I have Answered a Debt here for the Bearer (Mr Dowdy) amounting to sixty three Pounds fifteen Shillings & two Pence (£63.15.2) So. Carolina Currency which he has promissed to pay into your Hands for my Account you'l Please there fore to receive this Sum from Him & therewith Credit me I shortly expect your reply to mine per Drummond

& am Sir

Your Most Obedient

Mr Bolzius Savannah Augt. 10th 1759

I shall carefully forward your two Pacquets for Mr Ziegenhagen (which came with your Letter of the 16th. Ins) in the manner you Desire, tho by what I can learn theres now no Vessel expected to go from Chas. Town for Europe at present however I shall send one of said Pacquet's there directly in Or[der] to embrace the first opportunity from thence the other w[ill] go directly in Capt. Sommerville's Vessel [which is] just [ready to] move Dow[n the r]iver & you may be assured of a very particular Charge being given with each of them by

Sir

Your's &cr

William De Brahm Esqr Sav. Aug. 10th. 1759

Your 2 Chas. Town Letters shall be carefully forwarded by first opportunity. As to Indico Seed I cannot at [p]resent say any thing too as I imagine there will not be a [v]ery great Demand for it. but

however if any enquiry shod. be made about it, I'll give you the earliest Notice, & will if agreeable to you put up an Advertisement here in Order [to] try if it may be wanted by any of our Planters

& remain Sir Yours

T R

John & Ulrick Tobler (per Mr Rae's Boat)

Savannah Aug. 14th. 1759

Mr. Galphin's Patroon did not call on me [o]n his Return from Charles Town else I should have sent you the following Articles by him which I hope you'l safely receive from Mr Rae's Boat by whom I now send them Namely -

2 ps. Scots OSnabrig	116	
	118	
	——	
	234 Yds a 5-5/8d	5.9.8¼
Advance 50 per Ct		2.14.10
2 dz Tab Knives & Forks		0.14.0
paid for 10 lb Allspice		0.15.0
		———
		£9.13.6

I cannot get you any upper Leather at Present & a Tanner that promissed me some sole Leather has disappointed me but if it may not be too late when a Boat comes down Ill get you the Quantity Desired.

The Strouds last sent were from London which are now very high but as on that Account they may not so well suit you I shall readily take of the finishing Charg[e] from them I have received the Beaver by Mr [bottom of page torn off] & 2 hides the last [torn off] at any rate I've therefore sent it to Cha[rles] Town & shall Credit your Account with the Proceeds when known You'l find enclosed a Letter that I lately received & which came in Capt Ball

I am &ca

T. R.

William Debrahm Esqr Savannah Aug 15. 1759

Sir I hope you've received the few Lines I wrote you the 10th. Instant in Answer to your Favour concerning Indico Seed this comes by Mr Wertch to whom I have delivered your Cag containing 3-7/8 gallons Rum - the Padlock belonging to the Cag was shut by Mischance and as I had not the Key I could not affix it on the Cag I

have therefore delivered the Lock into the Care of Mr. Wertsch and Remain Sir

Your hhble Servt.
T R

P.S. As Mr Wertsch takes the Rum into his Care I apprehend it may be very Safe

Mr. Josiah Smith Savan. Augst. 20. 1759

I received your Letter of the 2d. Instant per Drummond enclosing a Receipt of Messrs Austin & Laurens for £355.15/ your Money paid them for Account [o]f the revd Mr. Zouberbuhler & also my Account current [b]rought up to the 30th. last June exclusive which I have [n]ot yet examined but shall soon & my next will acquaint [y]ou if free of Error by the same opportunity (of Drummond) [I] have received the 2 hhds. Rum together with the Tarr [and] Turpentine. I notice the Cost & the same will be placed [to] your Credit against £135.12.6 which you say is the [p]roceeds of the Beaver sent you the 14th. ulto. [I ob]serve the Conveyances of My last letters for London & [torn off] you'l find 2 small Pacquets directed to revd [Ziegenha]gen which I must [bottom of page torn off]

To Devonshire Reeve & Lloyd - Bristol

Original per the Brig Ellis - Capt. Howard

Savannah Georgia August 25th. 1759

Gentlemen The foregoing is first Copy of what I wrote you the 22d May last which I now Confirm, and herein you have the second of Mr Zouberbuhlers Draft of the 1st. May for £50; This also serves to hand you the first of another Draft of said Mr Zouberbuhlers on Benjamin Martin Esqr payable to me and dated the 2d Ulto. for £50 Sterling, which I make no doubt of Meeting due honour & being placed to my Credit Mr Martyn is already (as Mr Zouberbuhler acquaints me) advised of this Draft therefore there's no Letter of Advice with it as you'l perceive by the Tenor of the Bill. I wrote you a few Lines the 27th last March which I hope safely reached you and wherein you were desired to send me out a few Articles which I make no Doubt you've complied with & the Goods now near at Hand, but as I find I shall have occasion for another supply from your City Shortly I must beg you to ship the undermentioned by the earliest Conveyance that may offer for Charles Town So Carolina under Insurance Namely -

30m 20d Nails
30m 10d ditto

& Youl please to order the Nails (i.e) 20m. of each to be made up in bags of 2m & the rest loose in the Casks

50 groce short Pipes (or hunters) in small boxes
2 . . 0 . . 0 white lead ground in oyl in small kegs
3 . . 0 . . 0 dry spannish Brown
3 . . 0 . . 0 Lead in small Ingotts for Casting into Bullets &cra
1 ps blue Strouds worm'd thus [design drawn in manuscript]
4 ps. ditto Do thus [design drawn in manuscript]
4 ps. ditto Ditto thus [design drawn in manuscript]
6 ps. red Strouds 2 ps of each to be wormed the same as the above
2 Boxes Window Glass or 400 feet (best Window Glass) in Squares of 9 by 11
2 Boxes ditto same Quantity 8 by 10

Youl please to consign the foregoing goods to the Care of Mr. Jos. Smith Junr. Merchant in Chas To. unless any opportunity offers for this province which would be most acceptable. I hope to be favoured with a Li[ne] from you shortly as none of yours [h]as come to my hands except that by Captain Forten

I am Sir's
Your humble Servant
Thos. Rasberry

PS please to Mark the packages T R

To Mr William Thomson - London
Original per the Brig Ellis - Capt. Howard
Savannah August 28th. 1759

I wrote you the 29th June last pr. Sundry Conveyances from Charles Town, but as another opportunity immediately offers from this Port for London (By the Brig Ellis Capt Howard) I have here enclosed you another Copy of what I then wrote you, and make no doubt of your ready Compliance with its Contents, but as I've therein given you some reason to expect a pretty large remittance in Bills on your City by this time, it will be necessary to acquaint you that it cannot be done by this Conveyance as the public Accounts of the silk Culture for this year and that of our Scout Boat are not yet adjusted (these are both payable by Mr. Martyn) and will with some other Private Bills that I expect to have very shortly amount to somewhat considerable at least to £400 and upwards, and which you may depend on receiving by the 1st. opportunities that may offer from Charles Town after I have them delivered me, at present I can only furnish you with the 1st of the 2 following Drafts both on Mr Martyn amounting to one Hundred & twenty five Pounds Stg. Namely

William De Brahm's first Bill on Benjamin Martyn Esqr in my favour dated the 4th Instant for	75.0.0
Governor Ellis's first Bill on said Mr. Martyn to me dated the 4th. last Month for	50.0.0
	£125.0.0

Which said Bills I make no doubt will meet with due honour and passed to my Credit when paid. In reperusing the Copy of My letter of the 29th June last I find that I was short in some Articles and intirely omitted others that I shall have occasion for the coming Spring, and as I have reason to hope this may reach you before you have prepared the sundry Articles comprized in my said Lre of the 29th June last for shipping, I must beg you to add to said order the following under Insurance - Namely

2 brazil or wainscot square Coffee Mills with Draws about 4/ each
3 steel ditto about 4/8 each
3 ditto about 5/6 each
3 ditto about 6/6 each
NB these steel mills are intended for such as are used by your Retail Grocers &ca for grinding Coffee Pepper &ca & are fixed on a post to the end of their Counters
6 nests red gilt Trunks 8 in a Nest about 16 or 17/ per Nest or under
4 doz Cow Bells about 10/ per doz
1 doz Carpenters broad Axes 3/ each
1 doz larger ditto about 3/9 each
1 doz Coopers broad Axes
1 doz ditto's Adzes
1 doz ditto's Jointer Irons
1 doz ditto's round Shaves
1 doz ditto's spoke Shaves
2 doz womens shoe lasts
2 doz girls ditto
2 doz Mens ditto } Chiefly duck Bills &
1 doz boys ditto } sorted midling sizes
12m. Tacks about 10½d per 1000
12m. ditto about 8d. per 1000
12 doz Scots linnen Handkerchief about 6/9 per doz
8 doz ditto about 8/6 per doz
6 doz narrow Holland Tapes at 4/6 or 4/10 per doz
1 ps. blue 6d. Ribbon
1 ps. red ditto.

1 ps. green ditto
1 ps. Yellow ditto
1 ps white ditto
1 ps. purple ditto
2 ps. purple & white birds Eye printed Linnen (more) about 17 yds. each ps. & you'l please to give directions that the pattern may be Birds Eye agreeable to what I've observed on this head in the enclosed Copy
6 ps Nankeens if to be had at 6 or 6/6 per ps if not send none
2 dozen Shoe knives sorted
1 Fowling Piece not to exceed 3 feet 6 Inches length of the Barrel plain Walnut Stock with plain brass Mounting a whale bone rammer and one of the newest fashion waterpan bridle Locks NB this Piece must be warranted to throw its load of swan shott into the Circumference of a rum Puncheon head at 80 yards distance If such a gun can be had that will answer this discription particularly in respect to the Carriage of the shott, the Cost will not be regarded & no other piece but one that will perform this will do & youl please to send with it a Mold for the swan Shott that the said barrel will carry such a distance I'me also desired by one of our SilverSmith's to get him one dozen pr. of good steel Chapes & Tongues for Buckels to answer the pattern here enclosed (i.e.) one doz pr. of each Size which please to send me I have nothing more to add at present but am

Sir Yours &cra

TR

Original per the Brig Ellis - Howard - London

Samuel Lloyd Esqr. London

per the Brig Ellis

Savannah August 29. 1759

Your favour of the 16th last March per the Medway Capt Dickenson I have received together with the Goods Shipt me by him amounting to £315.11.7 all in good order and on which I shall now make a few remarks. I apprehend there must have been some great mistake made by your Grocer in the Cost of the Loaf Sugar as its Charged in your Invoice at 86/ per lb. Whereas some that came out at the same Time to another house here cost 10/ & 12s/ per lb. less nor can I find any mention you make of the Bounty allowed on this Article, which you know is considerable and if not obtained must yet greatly enhance its Cost. We are also doubtfull whether the wrought Silks may not be intitled to some Bounty or Drawback as some of them appear to be of foreign Manufacture, If they are we make no doubt but you have given me Credit for it tho' unnoticed in your Invoice or Letter. Your Tin Man sent 3 of the large Tin tea kettles short & 1 small Canister but this as its trifling would not have

been observed had nother objection occurred The next Article that offers any remark upon is your reserving the company's Discount on the Tea in lieu of your charging Interest on the purchase Money this (tho the difference may be trifling) we are of opinion is too nice a distinction & somewhat unnecessary when we observe that the Ballance due you the 19th April 1758 was only £257.18.9 & that before we received the Account Current w'ere this Ballance was struck, we had remitted you in Bills of Exchange to the amount of £251 besides the Mary Anne's Consignment. We have yet another objection to make & that is your yet omitting to give my Account Credit for the 20£ sola Bills lost in Capt Thomson. length of time has now rendered it very improble they should ever appear & even should they ever come to light hereafter its doubtfull whether they can be legally paid to another person but me or my order but however we are willing to put this affair on the most equitable footing and in order to obviate any doubts that may yet occur to you in your passing them to my Credit we hereby promise that if you think proper to do it & they may hereafter be tender'd & paid again we will freely return you their Amount

You have here inclosed a Certificate to cancel your Bond for the Tea received per Dickenson & having nothing more particular to add I beg Leave to subscribe for Mr Russell & Self

Sir Yours

T Rasberry

Mr. William Thomson Savannah Georgia September 7th. 1759

Sir The enclosed is Copy of what I wrote you the 28th. Ulto. which I now confirm, and herein you have the seconds of the two Setts Bills therein mentioned on Mr. Martyn. This also serves to hand you the first of another Draft on your City, Namely, John Milledges first Bill on the Pay Master General of his Majesty's Forces payable to Thomas Rasberry & Co. and dated the 25th. May last for forty five Pounds sterling which you'l place to my Credit when paid. I'me informed that the Service for which this Bill is drawn is now provided for therefore I hope it will meet with no Difficulty in being duely honoured, and you'l please to notice any Deductions that may be made at the Pay Office for Fees. I must beg you to add to the enclosed Order 56 lb. brown Sugar Candy & I have only at present to repeat that as soon as I obtain the other Bills on your City I shall embrace the very first Opportunities of remitting them and am Sr.

Your most obedient Servant

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah Septemr 4th. 1759

Sir I wrote you the 20th Ulto per Talbert & sent you per him

another bundle of Mr Toblers Beaver containing 49 Skins which I hope came safe to hand. I have now examined the Account Current you sent me and found it to be right, only you've omitted to charge me with the 25 £ you sent me in our paper Currency some time agoe which you'l please now to do. I also perceive a small omission of 4s/ Sterg. on the Credit Side, which was paid for the Carriage of Mr Scots Beer back to Charles Town tho' I believe this was never Noticed before. I have no other remark to make on the Account and when these 2 Articles are entered with you, our Books will mutually Correspond to the Time of closing said Account.

The Revd. Mr. Bolzius tells me that Mr. Timothy has omitted to send him the Gazettes ever since last November which does not a little Surprize him, because a Gentleman of his Acquaintance had engaged to pay regularly for 'em at the Stated Times of Payment. I must therefore beg you to enquire into the Reason of his Omission and for the future please to order Mr Timothy's Papers as they come out to be lodged with you, and as any opportunities may offer Just enclose them to me under a brown Paper Cover without any manner of Trouble of writing (unless occasionally) and I shall always apprize you of any conveyances from hence that may offer for this purpose. Mr Bolzius is a good Friend of mine & somewhat particular in the case of these Papers else I should not have troubled you with it and I must beg you to add to the desired Articles from your Town contain'd in mine of the 20th. Ulto. 6 lb pearl Barley & about 20 lb brown sugar Candy which are also both for his Use. I have nothing further at present to add than that I am

Sirs Your's &cra

Septr. 10th. [1759]

After I had wrote you the foregoing in order to send you by this Conveyance in a Boat of Smith & Nutts, Capt Talbert came up & delivered me your Lre of the 5th. Instant wherein I notice the Proceeds of the Mr Toblers last Beaver (£99.4/ your money) with which you are debited together with the £63.15.2. Mr Dowdy paid you for my Account against a Credit now given you of £10.2.6 amount of the Articles that Talbert now brings me. As to the red Lead instead of Vermillion I'me sorry you was at the trouble of Sending it, because a good Quantity of that Article now by me, and the Vermillion was intended for some particular Work on the Boat's Quarters &cra however this disappointment is not very material, as Vermillion has been brought in here since I wrote you I have nothing (that I can recollect) at present to add than that I am Sir

Your very humble Servant

T Rasberry

Messieurs Smith & Nutt Savannah Georgia Septr. 10th. 1759

GENTLEMEN I received your Letter of the 30th Ulto enclosing one to Messrs. Clarmont & Linwood of London to go in the Briga Ellis Capt. Howard for that City. Said Letter has been carefully deliver'd and the Vessel only waits a favourable Spurt of Wind to go over our Bar. I'me sorry I'me obliged to return you by this conveyance the 2 Cases of Spices you sent me some time agoe; the Gentlemen you intended them for I'me afraid are gone to a Place where theirs little Demand for those Articles, else they'd have readily accepted of them when offered and a very Small Quantity of those Spices is sufficient for our consumption here else should have thought it best not to have returned 'em

I have made bold to trouble you with three Letters for England (here enclosed) which I must beg you to put on Board the Andalusia, Bradshaw, whom I expect may be the first sailing Vessel from your Port for Europe and am Gentlemen

Yours &cra

Revd Mr Bolzius Savannah Septemr 11th. 1759

Mr Flerl delivered me your favour of the 7th Instant together with the news Papers sent you of Mr Russells and am sorry that the mistake in the revd. Mr Rabenhorst's Account occurred the reason of which was thus - Mr. Flerl having acquainted me with the Time of his setting off I immediately made out the Account enclosed you, intending when he called on me in the afternoon to have paid him the Ballance charged in said Account, and accordingly I sealed the Letter before his return; when he came to me again for the Letter, the Tide being then sometime before ready for his going away, occasioned him to be in a good deal of Hurry and by that means the Money was forgot to be paid him which has now been done and I hope this (undesigned) Error will be readily excused by Mr Rabenhorst, Doctor Johnson (or rather Johnson & Wylly) has been paid for the Negroe, as by their Receipt here enclosed you. My Subsiquent Order for sundry Articles (omitted) is gone hence among which Sugar Candy is noticed, but in Case it should not arrive before you are out of this Article a small Quantity that may Suffice until that comes to hand can be procured. I make no doubt of Mr. Smith's complying with my request in regard to your news Papers and remain dr Reverend Sir!

Your most obedient & humble Servant

T rasberry

Mr William Elliott Savannah Sept 14. 1759

SIR Your Negro Cato brings you agreeable to your order of yes-

terday's date 2 doz extraordinary rice hooks at 8/ per doz & 50 Gun Flints bought of Graham's & Mossman

Your Negro being very impatient to be gone permitts me only to tell you that whatever your overseer may want for the Future I shall very readily (if I may not have those articles myself) procure them if to be had in this Town so that you'l please to direct Mr H Hueguenin to me for what ever he may have occasion for which shall be supplyed on the most reasonable Terms

By Sir

Your most Obed.

TR

Joseph ButLer Esqr.

You have herein enclosed an Account of what Miss Polly has now had from me as well as what I have answer'd for at other Houses amounting in the whole to £21.9.6½ Sterling which tho greatily exceeds the Sum you order'd I hope may not be disagreeable to you especially as Miss Polly tells me that you would have enlarged the order If she had thought there would have been occasion for it

I am likewise acquainted that you propose to send your Boat round here very shortly for Negro Cloth &cra. and tho' my white Plains for this Season are not yet arrived I have a sufficient Quantity (of whats very good) for your Purpose and only waits your Commands being, Sir

Yours &cra

Messrs Smith & Nutt

GENTLEMEN I am informed that the Brig Ellis Capt Howard of this Port who sail'd hence a short Time agoe is put into Charles Town in Distress & that its apprehended She will not be capable of performing her Voyage for London. This Vessel carries the Originals of the three London Lres which I enclosed you the 10th Ulto. to go on board the Andalusia, and I am afraid that if the Ellis cannot proceed on her Voyage both originals & Copies of my Letters will go together in the Andelusia as she's the only Vessel I hear off at present for Europe. I must therefore beg the favour of you Gentlemen to prevent Capt Bradshaw's taking both sets of these Letters with him and in Case the Ellis does not proceed to receive my Letters again from Capt Howard & forward them by any other Conveyances than Bradshaw, in which youl greatly oblige

yours &cra

NB the Letters are one to W Thomson London, one to S Lloyd Esqr do, one to D R & Loyd Bristol and the 2 first contain Sundry Bills Ex. of which I have but scanty Setts

Thos Ras

Mr Isaac Brabant Savannah the 4th. Oct. 1759

Sir I have sent you per the Bearer Richards agreeable to your Letter of the 2d Instant

1 ps. midling white Plains 113 yards cost 11¼d	£ 5.5.11¼
Advance 50 per Ct	2.12.11½
	7.18.10-¾

1 oz blue Silk
6 Scains blue mohair
Paid MoreL for 18 blue Coat Buttons 1/6
3½ doz breast - - - - - - - - -

You'l Please to Notice that I dont absolutely charge your Account with the PLains untill I receive your Directions for so doing because I dont know whether they may suit you as they are not of the first Quality but the best we have at present. If you sell them for our Account we think they may be worth 20d. Sterling per yard to cut for all coarse Woollens comes out excessive dear but however you know we shall be content whether you take them yourself or sell them under that Price for us

The ps. damask you mention cost 45/ 2 Gowns which is to you with 50 per Ct. Advance 33/9 per Gown but according to our retail Price is 36/

Mr Russell has received the Things sent per Richard and I notice what you say about the Dr Skins and remain &ca

T. R

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah Octor. 10th. 1759

Sr. You'l find enclosed four Letters for Europe Viz two for Mr Thomson & 2 for Mess D. Reeve & Lloyd at Bristol which are Copies & you'l please to forward them by 2 Conveyances - the Originals of these went hence in the Brig Ellis Capt Howard who lately put into Charles Town & Cannot proceed on her Voyage, as I'me Informed, therefore Capt Howard will undoubtedly put his Letters on board some other Vessel, & its probable it may be on one of the ships the enclosed may go in unless prevented. I must therefore beg of you to enquire of Capt Howard the opportunity he intends to forward his London Letters & take care that neither of the enclosed goes in that Vessell. my Letters on board him I believe are done up in his owners Pacquet therefore cannot be come at. We hear theres a Prize brought into your port lately Should there be any tolerable Muscavado Sugars on board her and they may sell low I should be glad if you could purchase me one hogshead for which I shall en-

deavour speedily to reimburse you and I must beg you to send per next opportunity a small keg of white Lead in oyl I am Sir

Yours &cra

Andrew Aiton & Co Glasgow

per the Brig Spry - Lyford - Bristol
Invoice recd May 7th 1761

Savannah Georgia November 1st. 1759

Gentn. I have received your Letter of the 13th May last covering Invoice of sundry Goods shipt me by the Nancy John Morrison Commander amounting to £103.3.3 Sterling which are come safe to hand and in good Order. You did very right in omitting the Bays as they are so greatly advanced in price with you, and as to your sending Callimanco instead of damask Shoes it will be no manner of detriment, both being equally saleable. Ime obliged to you for your kind Directions in regard to washing the Gauze, which Manner is reasonably the best, and appears to be little known here at present. I shall shortly want a Supply of several of the Articles now come to hand, and am also willing to make Tryal of some others that you are pleased to recommend, and must therefore beg you to send me the following under Insurance, and divided as nearly as possible so as to come out in the two first Vessel's from your Port for Charles Town So. Carolina Vizt

30 ps. ¾th Linnen Check at or under 7d. per yard, but not to exceed it
18 ps. 7/8 linnen ditto sorted from 9d to 10d per yard
18 ps. yard wide ditto do from 10d to 12d. per yard
40 doz. blue & white linnen Handkerchiefs at 6/7 per doz.
24 doz. ditto at 8/4 per doz
18 doz. ditto at 10/ or 10/6 per doz
9 doz. ditto at 12/ or 12/6 per doz
9 doz. ditto at 14s/. per doz.
6 ps. striped Holland about 10½d per yard
6 ps. do 12d per do.
6 ps. do 14d per do.
let the above striped Hollands be chiefly broad blue Stripes and a few peices with red and blue Stripes mixed
6 ps. furniture Check about 12d. per yard
6 ps do about 14d. per do
please to be observe that none of these furniture Checks must have any Woosted in them, but let them be intirely linnen, for as they are principally intended for Curtains the woosted part of 'em are liable to be eaten by the Moth in these hot Climates the major part of the

Year, and I shoud be glad to have them chiefly with broad blue single Stripes or Squares, but a few peices with red or crimson and please to let the Colours be very bright.

8 ps. figuret Nett	at 11d. per yard	same as the last
2 ps. plain Lawn	at 2s. per yd	
2 ps. do	at 2/6 per do.	
2 ps. flowered Lawn	at 4/ per do.	
2 ps. do	at 5/ per do.	

1 doz white Lawn Handkerchiefs with plain Borders about 10/ per doz
1 doz ditto about 20s. per do.
1 doz do about 35s. per do.
1 doz do flowered Borders about 12s. per doz
1 doz do about 40/ per do
1 doz do spotted Borders abt. 20/ or 25/ per do.
6 gauze Aprons with flowered Borders abt 4/6 each
6 ditto 7s. each
6 ditto 10s. ea.

As these last mentioned Articles of Handkerchiefs and Aprons are chiefly intended by Way of Sample I shou'd be glad to have as great a Variety of Patterns sent me as may be consistent with the Smallness of the Order, and in this Case you'l please to observe that notwithstanding I have placed the Prices to these Articles, yet I do not mean that you shou'd absolutely confine yourself to them but come as near them as you can.

12 mens hunting Saddles with Bridles about 16s. each
6 dittos do 22s. each
6 dittos do 28s. ea.

You have here enclosed the first of John Martin Bolzius's Bills on Thomas Broughton in my Favour dated the 28th. August last for forty three Pounds sterling, which when paid youl pass to my Credit & the remainder of the Sett will be sent you as Opportunities offer from Carolina and you may soon expect another good Draft on London for £50 Sterling more. You'l please to mark the Packages TR and consign them as before to Messrs: Smith & Nutt in Charles Town to whom youl please to send the Bill Lading. I have only to add that I am &ca

Thomas Rasberry

I had almost forgot to notice that was only 6 pair girls leather Shoes sent instead of 1 dozen. please to send also also 18 ps. or about 100 yds of striped Lawn at 13½d per yard same as the last

Josiah Smith Junr Savannah Nover. 5th. 1759

Sir I have both your favours of the 16th and 25th Ulto with the

Sope, Barley, Candy & white Lead - the Cost of each of them I notice and herein enclose you £74 in your paper Currency namely one of your Treasurers Certificates of £50 & £24 in small Bills the latter I have just now receiv'd & have not Time to look over it, therefore if any Part of it may be liable to Objection, you'l in your next please to notice it. I observe that in your letter of the 25th Ulto which appears to be in answer to mine of the 10th. Ulto. where the white Leads order'd that no notice is taken of the europian Letters I put on board the Ellis Capt Howard (who is seems will be condemn'd in your Port as unserviceable) which is really essential for me to know Copies of them went in the Andalusia Capt. Bradshaw thro the Hands of Messrs. Smith & Nutt and I am doubtfull whether Capt Howard might not have put his Lres on board that Vessel also, which were the originals I must beg you to send me

1 hogshead Melosses
2 Quarter Casks Rum

& the following Articles if readily to be had

1 Grapnal abt. 60 lb. wt.
25 fathom 4 Inch Hawser
2 bottles Soy or East India Ketchup & 2 bottles Anchovies

The £24 your Money is deliver'd Capt Drummond in a seperate Pacquet to this directed to you & by him you may send the Goods Come in from Bristol.

P.S. Since I wrote the foregoing I have had an opportunity three more of the within mentioned Certificates for £50 each which you have enclosed & makes this Present Remittance £224 your money Please to forward the enclosed Lre to Mr. Lloy[d] per first Conveyance

Messrs. Smith & Nutt Novr. 5th. 1759

I receiv'd the few Goods from Glasgow which you was so kind as to forward me, and must beg you to send away the 2 enclosed Letters per 2 seperate Conveyances for that Port they Contain 2 bills of a Draft on London, and must I apprehend if landed in some Parts of England take a very long Tour before they are Paid & as my remittances to Glasgow must always be of this Kind (i.e.) in Bills on London I was thinking whether it might not be as Suitable to make immediate payments there for what things I may hereafter receive from Glasgow. I forgot to mention this in the Lres enclos'd but its probable you can acquaint me whether its practicable or not.

Peters, has promis'd to pay me Mr John Smith's Demand on him very Shortly I am Gent

Josiah Smith Junr. Savannah Novr. 13th. 1759

Sir I wrote you the 5th Instant per Drummond & enclosed you £224 your Money which I hope you've receiv'd & plac'd to my Credit I have now delivered the Bearer Adam Crawdy £19.13.9 more its in a Seperate Parcel, to you directed & you'l Please to enquire after it if not delivered with this.

I should be glad if you'd please to send me 3 Barrels Tarr 2 Cags milk Bisket & 1 Cask ship Bread & I am Sir your most humble

Savannah November 19th. 1759

John & Ulrick Tobler I have sent you per the Bearer Mr Holmes all the Articles I had or could get Here amounting in the whole to £195. 17.102½ Sterling as I had not time to Copy the Goods bought of Gs & M. I have sent you their Bill of Parcels enclosed. I shall take care to forward the 5 hhds Skins to Mr Cambell in Chas. To. & shall do the Needful in regard to them of which please to acquaint Mr McCartan as I have not time to answer his Letter I shall also take great Care of your Lre to Switzerland I am sorry your Boat had not stay'd a few Days longer as both my London & Bristol Good are just arrived at Chas. To. & daily expected up here; shoud the ps. white Plains be too ordinary please to sell it for my Account; all kind of coarse Woollens are now very scarce and dear in England. the Sugar I now send you was bought at Vendue and Stands me in about the Sum charged present payment the Rum cost 4/6 per gallon as charged and at a short Credit. I have sent you the form of an Indico Certificate as you desire and am

Gentlemen Yrs &ca.
Thos. Rasberry

Mr Daniel Bruner per Mr Holmes

Savannah Novr. 19 1759

Sr. I received from Mr Holmes £7.18.8 in Cash and by him I now send you 1 hogshead Rum 111½ gallons cost me 4/6 per gallon at a very short Credit £25.1.9. The Deer Skins I shall send to Mr Waggener per first Opportunity & am Sr &cr

Messrs. John & Ulrick Tobler 19th Novr. per Holmes

Gentlemen The first Parcel of Beaver was extreemly foul & bad. I got Mr Nunes (who then bought Beaver) to look at it who said he would not give above 2/per lb for it, upon which I sent it to Charles town where you see it sold for 31/ that money but a little lost in weight. After I had sold all the Bacon 2 ps. of it prov'd quite bad & rotten & was return'd me again by the Buyer. I therefore gave these 2 ps. to some poor People here as it was impossible to offer

it for sale again & I would advise you for the future if you send Bacon or Hams down to send them as early in the Winter as possible because People your way are so sparing of salt that the first warm weather greatly effects the Meat. Butter would be more saleable in smaller Kegs which should be Trd. before fill'd & the tares mark'd on the heads. Flour also would do much better in Blls. near the size & shape of the N York & Philadelphia flour Bls they should not exced 190 or 200 lb. at most. one of the 2 beef hides per Mr Rae's Boat was so much worm eaten that it was hardly worth any thing I dont know yet what Mr. Haner will allow for it there was a good Number of other Hides I believe came down in the said said Boat. I have not yet put down the Almanacks because I sent a parcel of them to Medway & have not yet an Account of them. I have likewise omitted the Articles come down now the Butter is all sold at 3d. & hope soon to sell the Flour. The Cash I receiv'd for the Corn I have given you Credit for 62 bushels Corn at 2/. £6.4. ½ bushel was given for blowing the horn the skins will be look'd over tomorrow & plac'd to your Credit with the Butter, Wax, & beef Hides, & the Flour when sold I have not yet seen the Indico open'd because Mr Holmes hurries to be gone tomorrow I shall look at it & give you my opinion of it per next opportunity & am Sir Your most obedient Servant

Mr. Edward Jones Decr. 10th. 1759

Sr I have safely received the hdd Rum agreable to your Favour of the 26th Ulto and have credited Messrs. James Fisher & Co. with it's Amount. As to the Ballance Mr Fisher may remit it when it best suits him. I am Sir with Tenders of Future Service

Yours &ca

TR

Mr Martin Campbell Savannah Georgia 10th Decr. 1759

Sir I receiv'd from Mr Tobler of New Windsor 5 hhds Deer Skins

TR

PS You have a Letter by the Bearer from Mr MacCartan. I should with directions to forward them to you for Accot of Messrs McCartan & Campbell. The said Skins I now send you by the Bearer Capt Tadder (as per the enclosed Receipt) and I have ordered him not to land them but follow your Directions as to their Disposal. I am Sir Yours &ca

be Glad to learn your receipt of these Skins

Mr John Smith Savannah Decr. 10th. 1759

Sir I wrote you a few Days agoe concerning our Crop of Rice here and am waiting your Answer. Mr Bolzius's 2 Cases came safe to

hand per Crawdy & are sent up to Ebenezer. Mr Flerl has bought a Pipe of Wine of me the Proceeds of which (with some others) I am to remit Mr Wm Banbury of your Town and in payment thereof has given an Order on you for £143.8.2 your Curry which he makes out thus

32.2.2	Ballance of an Accot sent him
105.0.0	for £15 Sterling more paid you
6.6.0	for a Pump
£143.8.2	So Caro Curry

I'me doubtful whether he can reasonably desire you to pay this Money in Chas town, unless it best suits you therefore I detain the Draft for your Reply.

I notice your Remark on the Quantity of Goods lately come up here and its not improbable but some of 'em may be dispos'd off in the Channell you mention as we have now 2 or 3 Spanish Vessels before the Town

I am Sir, Yours &ca

TR

PS I shou'd be obliged to you to acquaint me with the market Price of New Rice the 8th instant and from thence to the Time you write me as I've receiv'd a Quantity & expect more at Market Price of Chas town at the Time of Delivery

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah Decr. 10th. 1759

Sir I have receiv'd your Letter of the 21st Ulto per Crawdy together with the Goods therein mention'd amounting to £229.0.6 your Money which have Placed to your Credit. The Bearer Capt. Tadder has 4 Packs Deer Skins on board mark'd DB they belong to one Daniel Bruner of New Windsor in your Province, who desires me to send them to Mr John Wagener of your Town (I think in Broad Street) to whom please to see them delivered and enclose me his Receipt for the same. if Vidonia Wine is reasonable as to Price I should be glad to have a Pipe per next Opportunity, and a barrel of Blubber (not fish Oyl) if readily to be had. The Person who desires me to send for the latter tells me it does not exceed one half the Cost of the Oyl and equally Answers his Purpose, therefore you are not to send Oyl in its Stead. I shou'd be glad if you'd favour me with the Currant Price of new Rice with you the 8th Instant, and from thence to the Time you write me, as I've purchased a Quantity here & am to be regulated, as to Cost, by your Market, & as I propose to settle all my Affairs the ensuing Month (January) shou'd be glad to have my Accot. Currt. with

you as soon as you have Time to compleat it. Drummond arrived only 3 Days agoe & has not yet put ashore all my London Goods

I am Sir Yours &ca

TR

PS. I have been thinking that it wou'd be better, that you do not give yourself the Trouble of forwarding Mr Bolzius's News Paper, for as Mr Timothy has now a Competitor in this Business, he will doubtless be watching every Opportunity here & may frequently embrace some that you cannot be apprized off; & Mr Bolzius will be content to receive his Papers in common with the Rest of Mr Timothys Customers here

Mrs. Elizabeth ButLer Savannah Decr. 18th 1759

MADAM Mr. Butler has doubtless acquainted you that he made me an offer of 80 or 100 Barrels Rice in Case I could answer a Demand that Mr Yonge was to settle with him & as I find I can readily accomodate that Matter with said Mr Yonge, if its agreeable to you, you'l Please to draw on me for the Amount. I should be glad to know whether I can depend on the above Quantity of 80 or 100 barrels Rice & when it would suit you to deliver it for which the Market Price of Charles Town is to be given at the Time of Delivery

I am Madam your humble Servant

Thomas Rasberry

Mr Hueguenin brings you a fine rice Scieve cost 7/ Theres no Flour come in since Mr ButLer Sail'd

Mr John Smith Per Minot December 31st. 1759

I receivd your Letter of the 13th. Instant per Minott and as I apprehend your Rice is not yet disposd off by Mr Gibbons I consent to take it at the Price you mention 60/ yr. money. I thank you for your opinion as to this Article in Feby. or March next, and should have been glad to have taken your Indico also, but we dont intend to meddle with any of this Crop having already refused several good Parcels.

James De Veaux is now out of Town therefore have no opportunity of speaking to him about his Rice that you expect. As to his Brother John (if your Demand is any thing considerable) I wish you may not fall short of your Expectation from him. Graham (Minott tells me) has bought the Rum at the Price you Demand. I shall Endeavour to get your Rice round as soon as possible which with what I have otherwise engaged will come pretty near our Quota for the expected Vessel

I am Sr &ca

PS I spoke to Jas DeVeauxs Son but he could say nothing as to his Father's Intention of delivering you any Rice I must beg you to pay £18 your Currency to Mr. Andrew Marr (at Messrs. Rose & Butlers) for Account Mr John Portrees it shall be speedily refunded - if Mr Marr is gone for England the Money is not to be paid, it seems, to any other Person

Messrs. Devonsheir Reeve & Lloyd - Bristol

Savannah Georgia Decemb. 31. 1759

Gentlemen My last was the 25th. August which I hope came safe to hand since then I have been favoured with yours of the 20th. of that Month by the Sally Isaiah Moatt covering Invoice of sundry Goods sent me per that Vessel which are also come safe to hand and in good Order. I notice the Difficulty of procuring coarse Woollens this Year and as I shall want a Supply for my next Winters Sale I must beg you to send me the following

1200 yards white PLains at 14d per yard
800 yards ditto at 13d. per do
400 yards blue Plains - say 400 yds
150 yards green ditto
150 yards drab or cloth coloured ditto
8 ps. Striped Duffill Blanketts
9 ps. blue Strouds
3 ps. red ditto
10 . . 0 . . 0 Iron Potts sorted

youl please to let these Strouds be wormed in the same Manner as those that are now usually sent out here for the Indian Trade, and I woud be glad that you'd divide the foregoing Articles as nearly as can be done with Conveniency so that they may come out by the two very first Vessels that may offer for Charles Town after the receipt hereof as a great deal depends on the Timely arrival of coarse Woollens.

you'l put them under Insurance and consign them as usual to Mr. Josiah Smith Junr. Merchant in Charles Town. I hope speedily to make you a further Remittance and am Gentlemen &ca

Thomas Rasberry

See Postscript over Leaf

Andrew Aiton & Co. Glasgow Savannah Decr. 31st.

The foregoing is Copy of what I wrote you the 1st Ulto which I now Confirm and herein you'l receive the 3d of the Draft promiss'd

for £50 Namely John Martin Bolzius's third Bill on the Revd Thomas Broughton Esqr in my favour dated the 1st. Ulto for £50 Sterling which I wish safe to hand.

I am Gent. &c

I should be glad to be inform'd whether you have any Correspondent in London to whom I could make you Remittances, as they'l consist chiefly in Bills on that City I apprehend it must be a more direct & speedy Method than to have the Bills go round to skotland The enclos'd are Letters of Advice with the Bills which Please to forward

Thomas Rasberry

(1760)

John & Ulrick Tobler Savannah Jany th[e] 8th.

I received your Letter the 27th Ulto. & have sent you all the Articles you therein Desire as per the enclos'd Bill of pct's amounting to £71.17/11½ Sterg. and by this opportunity I also send you sundry other Articles that I had prepar'd to send you the 24th. Ulto by a Boat belonging to Mr Williams of Augusta but the Patroon contrary to his promise went away without them The particulars of these Articles also you have here enclos'd amounting to £63.10/10½ Sterlg all which I wish safe to your Hands. I have receiv'd now only 2 packs deer skins as there was none taken in coming down the River as you expected I shall acquaint you further about the Tobacco soon & shall send Mr. Hunt's order on Mr. Legree very shortly To Charles Town. The Patroon has paid me £16.19/6 Sterg for your share of Corn which I have placed to your Credit I have not yet open'd the skins but hope their better than the last there was several very ordinary one that Parcle the Boat being Just going away obliges me to conclude

Gentlemen yours &cra &cra &cra

NB. no womens or girls leather shoes to be had in Town Tea very scarce & dear

Mr Daniel Bruner per John Bergeron

Savannah 8th. 1760

Sir The Patroon of Mr Toblers Boat (John Bergeron) told me that you verbally desired me to send you 50 lb Gunpowder which I have now delivered him and am

Sir &ca

T R

3 Cags Gunpowder marked B 50 lb at £7.10 per 100 lb - - £3.15.0

Postscript to Devonshire Reeve & Lloyds Letter of the 31 December 1759.

I expect the white Plains will come out very good at the Prices I have affixed but I don't mean to confine you to it, because if good PLains cannot be bought at those Prices you must exceed it, as an ordinary Sort will not suit me. The coloured PLains duffills and Strouds I woud also have of a good Quality. I have a Sufficient number of small Isop or ware Iron Potts that are bought by the dozen at 12/ therefore want no more of them and youl please to let those I now write for be chiefly of the midling Sizes except 3 or 4 that will contain from 18 to 24 gallons each

mark the Packages T R

Josiah Smith Junr Savannah Jany the 15th. 1760

SIR I must beg you to send me by the first opportunity that offers for this Place Two hogsheads of good Debenture Rum & Please to forward the enclos'd 6 Lres for Bristol & Glasgow by the three first Conveyances that offers for any Part of great Brittain they are Copies* & you'l therefore please to put on[e] for bristol & one for

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* 3 dated 1st. November last } to Glasgow
3 dated 31st. Ulto. }
3 dated 31st. do . . . . . to Bristol

Glasgow on board each Vessel I expect to hear from you very shortly & shall only add that I am Sir yours &cra

PS. Please also to send me

2 18 Inch spring Bolts with Brass knobs
3 9 Inch Ditto

These Bolts are for Mr Habersham who desires to know whether you did not receive a Garden Stone Roller & Frame marked J H No 1 a[nd] 2 from on board the Squerries Capt Mitchell as it seems they were consigned to you by Mr Samuel Lloyd

Rasberry

Mr William Thomson Savannah Georgia February 1st. 1760

SIR Your Favour of the 23d. August last per the Prince Orange came safe to hand together with the Goods shipt me by said Conveyance amounting as per Invoice to £885.2.3 for which I have given you a Credit. I notice what you say concerning the Indico I ship't you by the Squerries which has really (as you observe) fallen far short of my Expectation except the Casks No 4 and 7 which I believe may turn out pretty near what the Proprietor of them was offered here for that Indico before shipt. As to Cask No 10 I'me satisfied it was ordinary, but in respect to the rest I cannot account how it shoud sell so very low when Indico shipt on the very same Bottom

by Mr. Graham &ca & not on the whole superior in Quality to that I sent you shoud so far exceed mine in its Sales as it appears to me it has done from an Account Mr Nutt has returned them of theirs which I've had an Opportunity of perusing, unless it was owing to mine being sold at Auction & theirs at private Sale. I notice the Trouble that has hitherto attended the procuring Payment for the Rangers Certificates which we have reason to believe (by late advices from your City) for the future will run in a more regular Channel - another Company of 'em is now raising on the Establishment of other Troops raised in America the present War which must greatly add to the Welfare of the Province, but how to manage in respect to the Certificate of Barnards for £34 I know not. The widow has not nor will not administer and absolutely refused by her Lawyers Advice to endorse these Certificates, least by such Endorsement, she shoud involve herself into the Affairs of Barnards Estate the Creditors of which are extreemly baffled by an iniquituous Confession of Judgment that Barnard made of his Effects in his Life Time to his Father in Law Bradley now of your City under pretence of which she keeps all in her hands and will, if possible, intirely exclude the Creditors here on this Side. Our Governor woud readily renew this Sett of £34 but cannot consistently do it as the whole Sum of £728.15.4 then certified of which this is part were made payable to Barnard and so mentioned in the general Letter of Advice wherein the particular Setts of these Certificates are refered to all of which, except this and the other of 34.6.3 that cannot be traced where it is, are paid, as they were properly endorsed by Barnard.

if an explanatory Letter of our Governors relating this Affair may be thought serviseable I'll endeavour to procure one & send you. We begin now to look out for the Friendship Thomson and are prepared for her coming. Freights have been pretty high in Charles Town hitherto but are now falling, and unless Thomson over stays his Time I'me afraid we shall lose by our Rice as most of it cost us upwards of 60/ So Caro. Curry per Ct.

I hope the Bills for 125£ remitted you 28 August & that for £45 enclosed you the 7th. September following are paid, and I hope if possible by this Conveyance to make you another Remittance of upwards of 600£ in Bills &ca I only wait for the Return of our Scout Boat from the So.ward for the Coxswains Certificate as to the Expence of the Boat the last six Months and then youl have them.

The Goods by Cheeseman came in good Order and proved all very suitable except the mens great Coats on which I shall make some Remarks hereafter and I must beg you to send me out as soon as

possible consigned as usual the following Articles under Insurance namely

4 ps Cambrick at 22/ per ps
4 ps. do. a 26/
2 ps. do. a 30/
1 ps. do. a 34/
1 ps. do. a 40/
2 ps. Kenting at 12/ per ps
2 ps. do. at 15 or 16/
1 ps. do. at 18/
1 ps. do. at 20/
2 ps. plain yard wide Muslin about 20 yds each at 60/ per ps.
3 ps. white Callicoe of 2 Womens Gowns in a ps. pretty good
6 fringed diaper Table Cloths at 3/4 each
6 ditto at 5/4 each
12 ps. brown Pomerania Linnen about 23 or 25 Ells each at 8-7/8d. per Ell
4 ps. flaxen Russia a 5d per Ell
12. 9/4 flanders bed ticks at 19s. ea
6 10/4 do. at 23/6 ea
4 ps. Ticking for Pillows of 15 yds each at 14/ per ps.
6 ps. 7/8 Garlix at 27/6 per ps.
4 ps. do. at 25/
4 ps. do. at 22/6
6 ps. do. at 20/
4 ps. do. at 18/
3 ps. 3/4 ditto a 18/ per ps
3 ps. do. a 20/
3 ps. do. a 22/
3 ps. do. a 24/
6 ps. Dowlas a 27s per ps
6 ps. do. a 25/
4 ps. do. a 22/6
4 ps. do. a 20/
4 ps. do. a 17/6
3 doz silk culgee Handkerchiefs at 30/ per doz.
3 doz ditto at 32/ per do.
4 doz blue & white pastework Handkerchiefs - large
4 doz blue & white spotted linnen ditto a' 14/ per doz
1000 yards good brown Edinburgs at 7d. per yd
500 yds white ditto at 8¼ per yd
same as you sent by the Harrietta.
6 ps. ¾ Irish Linnen about 12d per yd

12 ps. 7/8 ditto a 14d.
6 ps. ditto a 16d.
6 ps. 9/8 Irish Sheeting at 12d. per yd
1 lb. blue sewing Silk good
½ lb. black ditto
½ lb white ditto
½ lb cloth Colours
4 groce cotton Laces a 2/11 per gro.
4 gro. ditto a 3/10 do
2 gro. ditto a 6/ do
4 gro. ferrett do. a 8/4 do
2 doz silk Laces a 4/3 per doz
2 doz. 3 yd do a 6/3 do
20 lb OSnabrig Thread full wt. at 19d. per lb
20 lb. ditto in half pounds short wt. at 16d. per lb
6 lb. stitching Threads at 3/
6 lb. ditto a 3/6
6 lb. do. a 3/9
9 lb. good blue do at 2/6
9 lb. ditto in half pounds at 2/ per lb
6 doz holland Tape at 9s. per doz
8 doz blue & white striped ditto
6 doz blue & white Nonsoprettys at 5/9 per doz
6 doz. do. red & white
6 woms. scarlet Cloaks at 6/8 each
6 ditto at 7/4 each
6 ditto at 9/9 each

NB. please to let the above Cloacks be large tho' you somewhat exceed those prices.

4 ps. blue stuff Damask
2 ps. dark brown ditto
2 mazerine blue Cambletee's
2 deep blue ditto
1 deep green ditto
1 dark brown ditto
1 deep blue Camblett
1 dark brown ditto
2 deep blue Callimancos
2 brown ditto
1 black ditto
1 deep red ditto
2 white Durants or yard wide Stuffs
2 deep blue ditto

2 dark brown ditto
3 ps. embos'd serge red flowered at 15d per yd
3 ps. blue striped Linseys at 35s per ps
1 ps. red striped do. a 35/
1 ps. blue striped do. a 14d
1 ps. red striped do. a 14d
1 end or about 10½ yds deep blue Broad Cloth a' 12/ per yard
1 do. about 10½ yd ditto a' 14/ per yd
1 do. or 10½ yds fine scarlet do.
1 do. or 10½ yds good black do
6 yds deep green do.
6 ends 10½ yds each agreable to the enclosed six Samples. I mean one end of each Sample together with half a ps. Shalloon suitable to each Sample and a proportion of Trimmings
3 ps. good blue Shalloon
1 ps. midling ditto
1 ps. good scarlet ditto
½ ps. good black Shalloon
½ ps. green do.
1 bag good blue Buttons
1 bag black ditto
1 bag scarlet ditto
4 mens cloth great Coats at 14/ each
4 dos. do. at 18/ ea.
4 dos. do. at 24/ ea.

NB those you sent per the Prince Orange from Dyson & Rogers were made of a thin napt Witney which will not sell; the Sort I want must be made with Cloth pretty thick and drab Colours only.

12 mens duffill great Coats chiefly blue which must also be very thick and large at about 13/ each.
12 mens bear Skin Coats at 11/ each same as you sent per the Medway
6 somewhat smaller ditto for large Boys
6 mens witney Waiscoats a cheap kind, blue & green
6 striped flannel ditto
6 spotted or ermine flannel ditto a cheap kind
12 pair coarse cloth Breeches
12 Sailors blue fearnot Jacketts at 6/9 same as per the P. of Orange
1 ps. white Flannel
1 ps. Bearskin
½ ps. green Witneys
½ ps. red ditto

1½ lb good mohair to consist of the following Colours vizt. blue, scarlet black & green of which let half a pound at least be blue
2 ps. Buckram
4 pair bed Blanketts at 15s. per pr
4 pair ditto a 22/s. do
10 ps. striped duffil Blanketts
300 yards blue PLains
2 ps. yard wide blue Cloth about 14 yds ea. a 5/ per yd
3 ps. narrow Cloth of different Colours, about 20 yds each a 21d. and 2/ per yd.
4 doz mens milld yarn Caps at 6s. per doz.
2 doz single worsted do a 7s. per do
2 doz double do a 8/s.
2 doz mens yarn Hose at 10/6 per doz
2 doz do at 11/
2 doz do at 12/
the yarn Stockings you sent by the P. of Orange were very much moth eaten which please to remark
2 doz boys yarn Hose at 8/6 per doz
2 doz do. at 9/6
1 doz mens wove worsted Hose at 18/ per doz
1 doz do. a 24/
1 doz. do. a 30/
1 doz do. a 36/
1 doz dos. knit do. plain a 30/ per doz
1 doz do. a 32/6
1 doz do. a 35/
1 doz do. a 37/6
4 doz men knit ribb'd Hose a 32/s. per doz
1 doz. do. a 34/
1 doz do. a 36/
please to order the foregoing knit Stockings to be chiefly blue's and a few pr white.
1 doz mens fine black Hose at 42/ per doz let a few pairs be ribb'd
6 doz. womens blue stampt Hose at 11/6 per doz
2 doz. dittos clockt worsted do at 18 per doz
2 doz do. a 24/
2 doz do. a 30/
1 doz large youths knit do a 18/ per doz
1 doz do. a 20/
1 doz do. a 22/

1 doz boys Hose a 10/ per doz
1 doz. larger do. a 12/
4 doz childs white do. a 8/6 per doz
4 doz do. clouded a 10/
1 doz large girls Hose a 16/ per doz
1 doz do. a 18/
1 doz do. a 12s/
1 doz do. at 10/ per doz.
3 doz felling Axes at
6 doz broad Hoes at 15/6 per doz
2 doz ditto at 18/
6 doz small oval eyed Hatchetts for Indians about 7s. per doz
6 stock Locks at 20s/ per doz.
6 do a 16/ per doz
24 do a 12/ per doz
24 do a 10/
4 doz common Padlocks at 5/ per doz
4 doz. do at 7s
4 doz. do at 10/
6 doz Iron plated Bolts without springs and not goose necked
4 doz. thumb Latches for Doors at 3/3 per doz
6 doz rice Sickles a 4/6 per doz
4 doz. pit saw Files a' 4/6 per doz
4 doz do a' 5/
4 doz X cut saw do. a 3/2 per doz
4 doz do a 3/9
6 doz hand saw do a 20d per doz
2 doz Carpenters Adzes a' 21/ per doz
2 doz 9 Inch HL Hinges
2 doz 11 Inch do
2 doz 12 Inch do
} with smooth filed joints
2 doz 2 foot Rules with brass squares at
1 doz 2 foot ditto to fold in 4 parts
6 pr sad Irons a' 1/9 per pr
6 pr do a 2/2
6 pr do a 2/8
6 pr do a 3/
4 doz drawing Knives a 12/ per doz
2 doz do. a 14/
3 . . o . . o splitting Wedges different Sizes
6 good pit Saws
1 doz pr Iron wire rice Seives

4 doz pr cotton Cards a 18 or 19s per doz
1 doz. Iron Drawback Locks with box Staples, for Chamber Doors, of 3 Sizes from the smallest, with Screws
20m. 8d Nails - 12M. of which in Bags of 4m. each
1 . . 0 . . 0 24d Nails
1 . . 0 . . 0 30d do
1 . . 0 . . 0 3/ do
2 . . . 0 . . 0 sheathing Nails
24 doz small nail Gimbletts with box Handles
24 Carpenters Jack Planes
24 smoothing Planes
12 fore Planes
6 pr ½ inch grooving do
6 pr 1 inch do
6 pr 1¼ inch do
36 scribing Chissells
36 broad do.
12 1 inch Firmirs
12 1½ inch do
12 2 inch do
2 doz tin pudding Pans a 15/ per doz
2 doz do a 12/
2 doz do a 10/
4 doz split handle Table Knives & Forks at 2/6 per doz
4 doz ditto a' 3/9 per do
4 doz ditto a' 5/ per do
24 doz Indian Trading Knives a cheap Kind
2 doz womens fine Scissars at 9s. per doz
3 doz horse Scissars at 7s. per do
3 doz cutting out do. at 4/ per do
6 doz ordinary do at 18d or 2s/. do
6 doz do at 2/6 do
8 groce horn Combs at 14s/ per groce
8 doz Ivory do at 7s. per doz
12 groce pea Buttons a' 18d per gro
12 double groce flat white mettal Buttons at 4/6 per doub gro
12 single gro. Jackett ditto at 1/6 per single do
30 lb. black & white round Beads a' 2/1 per lb
50 Maisses black & white barley corn do a' 1/3
12 bunches white Agate do.
12 lb. brass wire sorted
4 doz. silver ear Bobs at 22/ per doz
12 doz mettal do. at 16d. per doz

gilt Belts 3 doz
snaffle Bridles 3 doz a' 21s per doz
48 lb. Vermillion in boxes of 12 lb. each
2 gro. plain brass Rings sorted
2 gro. ordinary stone ditto
1 Chest or 300 lb. good bohea Tea
6 . . 0 . . 0 single Loaf Sugar in small hard Loaves
200 lb. black Pepper
6 lb. Nutmegs
1 lb Mace
1 lb Cloves
200 lb. saffron cut Tobacco in pounds & half pounds at 7d per lb.
50 lb. Westons pigtail ditto in half pounds
3 doz bottles good scots Snuff
6 doz quart black earthen Tea Potts
4 doz. pint ditto
2 doz ½ pint ditto
1 doz. blue & white gallon Bowls
4 doz. 2 quart ditto
4 doz. 3 pint ditto
4 doz. quart ditto
4 doz. pint ditto
1 doz black quart earthen Bowls
1 doz pint do
1 doz brown quart do
1 doz pint do
2 doz white stone mustard Potts
2 doz brown do
3 doz. black Sugar Dishes with Covers of 2 Sizes
2 doz. brown do. with do
12 doz. white stone Cups with Sawcers
4 doz tall wine Glasses at 2/3 per doz
4 doz double flint ditto a 3/10
2 doz wormed do a 4/6
4 doz Glasses Tumblers of different Sizes
2000 good dutch Quills
6 lb. common sized Wafers in small Boxes
8 quart china Basons blue & white
8 pint ditto
6 doz blue & white china Cups and Sawcers
6 doz ditto burnt in do. of a midling Size and plain
400 lb. F Gunpowder in 25 lb. and 12½ lb. Casks

please to give Particular Directions that this Powder may be good as the greatest Part of what I have lately received has been extreemly bad.

6 doz common flat pewter Plates
6 doz womens leather Shoes
6 doz girls ditto sorted chiefly large
3 doz large Boys or youths Shoes sorted
4 doz childrens black & red do. sorted
6m. sorted Needles, chiefly from No. 1 to No. 6
6 Womens black silk flowered Capuchins - a good sort
6 ditto more ordinary
8 doz fine hair seive Bottoms
4 doz coarse ditto
6 doz Rimms for ditto

I must beg you to expedite the foregoing Articles & tho' I have affixed the Prices to most of them you may vary a little more or less as you see Occasion. I am

Sir &ca

Mr. Josiah Smith Savannah Feb'ry 11th. 1760

Sir I receiv'd your favour per Minott with the sundry Articles Sent me per him amounting to £475.5.7½ your Currency for which you are Credited. I have examin'd your Account Current which is right and I herein enclose you one hundred forty two pounds twelve and six pence £142.12.6 in your Paper Money together with Joseph Hunts order on Daniel Legree for £57.1.0 which if paid you'l pass to my Credit Crawdy will also deliver you 2 bundles Deer Skins containing. 28 Skins wt 59½ lb. which you'l please to dispose off & place the Proceeds to my Account and if any of them are objected too you'l please to return such to me by him. I have also enclos'd you 2 Letters for London & 2 for Bristol the 2 bristol Letters are Copies of those sent you by Mr. Fisher the 15th Ulto which you'l notice the 2 letters for Mr Thomson are likewise duplicates & must go per Seperate Conveyances also. We have very alarming Accounts from up this river concerning the Cherokee Indians our Rangers are order'd to Augusta to Act as occasion may require & I presume your Government are likewise taking the most Vigorous Measures to avert the Destruction that seems to threaten both Provinces from the Depridations of these Savages I am Sirs &cra

Mr William ButLer Savannah March 1st. 1760

Sir I have sent the bearer Jacob Berrier for a load of your Rice I apprehend that he cannot carry the whole Quantity desir'd of you (namely 50 Barrells) and unless you might find it convenient to Send

the few remaining Barrels of that Number round in your Boat I can readily Dispense with the Quantity that Berrier can now bring me I am Sir

Your most Obedient Servant
Thos. Rasberry

per the Elizabeth Markham from hence

Mr. William Thomson Savannah Georgia March 3d. 1760

Sir I have now Bills by me to the Amount of more than £780 Sterling which I propos'd to remit you by this Conveyance but wait for Mr Habersham's coming to Town in order to endorse two of the Principal Setts - Vizt - The Pay Bills for our Scout Boat. If he comes in Time for the Bearrer Capt. Markham whose Ship is now at Tybye ready to Sail Youl yet receive the whole of them by this opportunity if not they'l goe down to Charles Town to seek a Conveyance from thence. The 2 Provinces are now in great Confusion on account of a Defection among Part of the Cherokee Indians who have murder'd a number of back Settlers on the Carolina Side of this River. both Provinces are now in Arms & Troops soon expected from Genl. Amherst in order to punish these inhuman Savages for their horred Barbarities. The Small pox also rages now in Chas. To. vast numbers have been innoculated their within these few Days Past but how it goes with 'em we are not yet able to Learn

The Bills I have to send you are as follows

2	pay Bills for the Boat of Benjamin Martyn Esqr.	£394.17.10-¾
1	on ditto for Silk Culture	156.14.3
1	on John Goodchild Esqr for a Bounty allowd on Cocoons by the Society for the encourage- of Arts Manufacture's and commerce	136.2.9-¾
1	of our Governor's on John Ellis Esqr.	80
1	of Noble Jones on James Fitter	15
		£782.14.11½

Capt Thomson does not yet appear his Charter party is now void I'me a good deal hurried at present therefore you'l excuse Brevity I am Sir

Your very humble Servant
T. Rasberry

the 6th. March

Sir Agreeable to what I have already advised you as Capt. Markham is yet here I herein enclose you the first of the Sundry undermention'd Bills amounting to £782.14.11½ Sterling which when paid you'l

pass to the Credit of my Account Namely

Pay Bill for the Prince George Scout Boat from the 28th of Novr. 1758 to the 27th. May 1759	164.4.11½
Ditto from the 28th May 1759 to the 27. Novr. last	230.12.11¼
Governor Ellis's Bill to William Russell on John Ellis dated the 17th. Septr. last	80.0.0
Jos. Ottolenghe's ditto to me on John Goodchild dated 28th. January last	136.2.9-¾
Governor Ellis's Bill to me on Benjamin Martyn dated 1st. of November last	156.14.3
Noble Jones's ditto to me on Jas. Fitter dated the 20th. October last	15.0.0
	£782.14.11½

The Boats Pay Bills you'l observe are discharg'd by Mr. Martyn to whom you'l apply. I hope soon to receive my Account Current from you and as I have lately wrote you pretty largely by way of Chas. Town shall only add that I am Sir your most obedient humble Servant Thomas Rasberry

no appearance of Capt Thomson yet

Savannah March the 8: 1760

Mr Josiah Smith

Sir I receiv'd your Letter of the 20th Ulto. by Crawdy (who is now performing Quarantine below) and notice its Content. this will be handed you by Berrier and in which youl find £100.2/6 in your Paper Money which you'l place to my Credit. I must beg you to send me by the return of Berrier 2 hogsheads Rum and about 1000 lb of muscovado Sugar but if any Boat is coming round that Clears out at your Custom House before or at the Time of Berriers leaving Charles Town youl give such the preferance on Account of the Debenture, if not send them by Him

I am Sir Yours &cra

PS the Cost of the Sugar must be about £10 or £10.10s per 100

Savannah March 20th. 1760

Mr Cornelius Cook per

Sir I am Sorry that (for several Reasons) I cannot comply with the Contents of your Letter of the 9th. Instant. I have hardly one of the Articles you want and am determind rather to Contract or bring my Affairs to a final Conclusion than to enlarge at this Perilous Conjuncture therefore I would advise you to apply to some other House.

I herein return you the obligation for supplying the Rangers together with Petticrews order on Mr McQueen as its not of use unless endors'd by you which you've omitted to do. I receivd the 8 Hams and 5 Cags of Lard for which you'l have a Credit in your Account. the Sum you paid Mr Tobler thro' my hands was £18.17.6-¾ Sterling

I am Sir &cra

Your Indico is yet here as the Ship I expect from England is not yet arrivd

Savannah March 22d. 1760

Mr Josiah Smith

Sir I wrote you a Line the 8th Instant by Jacob Berrier which I hope you've receiv'd it containd a Remittance of £100.2.6 yr. money. Capt Talbert will deliver you this in which I have sent you £185 more to be plac'd to my Credit. I apprehend you'l send me by Berrier the Proceeds of the Deer Skins and I should be glad to know the success of the order on Mr Legare as soon as possible because its requisite that the Affairs of the unfortunate Capt Tobler (in which I am deeply Interested) should be settled as speedily as the present Critical Conjuncture will admitt off this Order being part of his Effects. I am sorry to hear of the Calamitous Situation of your Town from the present Epidemical Disorder, and I'me afraid (that notwithstanding all the precaution we make use of) The Contagion will be soon communicated here. I am desired by the revd Mr Bolzius to procure him from Charles Town about ½ dozen Pounds of Chocolate (as theres none now here) which please to send me per next opportunity.

I have also enclosed you two Letters for Mr Wm. Thomson which you may forward by one of the first sailing Ships for Britain but I must beg you to take care that neither of them goes on board the Elizabeth Capt Markham which loaded here and went round to Charles Town in order to sail with the Fleet for this Ship has the originals of these Letters on board her. The Bearer staying here somewhat Longer than Expected gave me an opportunity of adding a Triplicate for Mr Thomson therefore to prevent mistake as the three Leres must now go per Two Conveyances I have tyed those Two together that must be put on board one Vessell and the single one you'l send by a seperate opportunity

I am Sir Your most obedient humble Servant

Per Capt Talbert Thomas Rasberry

Savannah March 22d 1760

Mr. John Smith

Dr Sir By this opportunity I send you the Indico made at your PLantation as by the enclos'd Certificate its contain'd in two boxes marked J S. I have not bought an ounce this Year Mr Gibbons I believe sold the best part of the Crop to Mr Handley of which I suppose you are already acquainted I am sorry to Learn the present Calamitous Condition of your Town from the small Pox I hope your Family have safely got through the Disorder.

Capt Talbert brings with him a Packett directed to Mr Josiah Smith which contains 2 Letters of great Consequence for our Friend Mr Thomson in Case Mr Smith should be Ill with the present Epidemical Malady we must beg of you to receive the said Packets & comply with the Instructions therein given said Mr Smith in regard to the forwarding said Letters to Mr Thomson, particularly observing our remark "That the originals of these are on board the Elizabeth Capt Markham" who we suppose is now in your Harbour. I have not yet had Time to Draw out your Account but shall speedily do it. The free Negro Kingsale at his going away had to the amount of 13s/ Sterlg of me which he promises to pay you. I have got in your Rice but have not yet weigh'd the whole of it

I am Sir

Your most humble Servant
Thomas Rasberry

Pr Capt Talbert

Savannah Georgia May 5th. 1760

Mr. William Thomson

Sir I received your Favour of the 3d last January per Capt. Raines together with the Goods shipt me by him in good Order except the Trunk of Mercery No 35 from Ryder, Nicklin & Wells of which I cannot as yet gain any Intelligence off. I have wrote to Charles Town about it and sent Raines's Bill Lading down there to demand it from him and expect my Correspondents Answer by next Opportunity. I notice your speaking to Mr Norman about the Gunpowder, which was really bad but I have got it off at a small disadvantage except about 50 lb. which I think Mr Norman ought to allow. I observe the Sales of the Skins shipt you by John Smith and also your carrying £129.7.5 to my Credit by Elliott & Gordon as well as Mr. Martyn's giving due honour to the Bills on him for £75 and £50. I am also glad to learn that the Certificate to Barnard of £34, irregularly endorsed, is passed, which is better than I expected, and I must beg you to send me my Account Current by the very first

Opportunity, because there are several concerned in some of these Certificates that I cannot possibly settle with until I know their Net proceeds. We recd sometime since an Account of Thompsons being carried into Martinico, and I have sold the Rice intended for him to Mr Graham for Bills which I hope to have soon to send you, and herein you'l find enclosed the first of three Setts amounting to Two hundred Pounds sterling which when paid you'l pass to my Credit. Namely

John & James Graham's first Bill to me on John Nutt dated the 25th. Ulto for	100.0.0
Nathl. Polhills first ditto to me on Samuel Savage da: 8th March last	50.0.0
John Martin Bolzius's first Bill to me on Thos. Broughton dated the 1st. Inst.	50.0.0
	200.0.0

I wrote you the 6th. last March and enclosed you sundry Bills &ca amounting to £782.14.11½ Sterling which I hope came safe to hand, and that before this reaches you the whole of them are paid and passed to my Credit. Mr. Ottolenghe acquaints me that his regected Bills on Dr. Bearcroft for £15 have since been paid if so, you'l undoubtedly advise me in your next, as you are quite silent as to this in your last Favour. Some of the highest Priced Irish Linnens now received appears to be very high charged, particularly a single ps. No 17 cost 3/6 which upon the strictest Examination and comparing with 2 ps. of 2/6 per yd. you sent me from Barton & Smith by two former Conveyances really appears to be nothing inferior in Quality to this at 3/6. I must also remark a Mistake made by Crowley Co. in respect to their Hoes - they charge the broad & narrow Hoes equally alike at 20/ per dozen notwithstanding there's such a very material difference in their breadths and no apparent distinction as to quality.

Mr Elliott acquaints us that he has returned you a general Certificate from Charles Town for all the Tea you ship't in Raines, else the needfull in respect to mine wou'd have been done by this Opportunity, and as I have nothing further at present worth remarking shall only add that I am Sir

Yr. very hble Servant

Pray don't omit sending my Account Current per next Conveyance.

I had almost forgot to mention that Messrs. Flerl & Wertsch desires that whatever Ballance may be due them from you, may be carried to my Credit

Please to send me with the other Goods wrote for or by the very first Opportunity afterwards

500 yds Irish OSnabrig at 5d. per yard Bounty off
12 ps. brown Roles about 4-¾d or 5d. per Ell
12 doz. broad Hoes with round Creases as 20/ per doz.

4 doz	Hooks & Hinges	at 4/6 per doz
4 doz	ditto	at 6/6 per do.
4 doz	ditto	at 9s. per do.
2 doz	ditto	at 14/ per do.
1 doz	ditto	at 20/ per do.
6 doz	broad Hoes	at 15/6 per doz

Savannah May 7th. 1760

John Tobler Esqr

Sir Agreeable to your Letter of the 28th last March (this being the first opportunity Since) I now send you the Goods you then desired in your own Boat under the Care of Mr Jarvis Namely

2 ps. Checks 52 yds. cost 7d per yd	1.10.4	
1 Box Tea 20 lb. a 3/10½	3.17.6	
1 barrel Sugar 210 lb. Nt. a 32/6		£ 3.8.3
1 Cag Swan Shott 56 lb.	0.9.6	
	5.17.4	
50 Per Ct. Advance	2.18.8	8.16.0
		12.4.3
1 hogshead Rum 120 Galls. a 3/3		19.10.0
3 bottles Turlington cost		0.9.0
		£32.3.3

I sometime agoe acknowledged the receipt of the money Deer Skins &ca you sent me and also acquainted the revd Mr Zubly of the Ballance supposed to be due me from your late Partnership of which he has undoubtedly acquainted you agreeable to his Promise

May 8th 1760

Just as I had wrote the foregoing I received your Letter of the 30th Ulto in Consequence of which I have added the following Articles to those Charged yesterday all of which I hope may Safely reach you

	1 ps. ¾ Check more	25½ yd. a 7d	0.14.10½
N17	2 ps. ⅞ ditto	60 yds a 10½d	2.12.6
2	1 ps. ditto	32 a 1/	1.12.0
	1 ps. white Edinburghs	125 yds. a 6¼	3.5.1¼

1 ps. brown ditto	127 yds. a 5½d	2.18.2½
2 lb. scots ounce thread	No 9 a 4/4	0.8.8
1 lb. ditto	No 10	0.5.10
2 doz thread Buttons		0.4.4
	50 Per Ct. advance	5.18.9
		11.17.6¼
3 Double bottles Turlington cost		0.18.0
		18.14.3¼

I have receiv'd the Deer Skins you mention but have not yet open'd or weigh'd them also one Cow Hide which shall be placed to the account of J & U Tobler. all the Goods I now send you are charged to your own Account as being most regular. Coffee, sugar, & OSnabrig are very scarce at present

I am Sr. &cr

Savannah May 9th. 1760

Josiah Smith Junr

Sr. I wrote you some Days agoe per Capt Drummond which I hope came safe to Hand - this will be delivered you by Capt. Talbert and contains two Drafts on your Town making together £234.8.0 your money which when paid youl pass to my Credit Namely

Lieut. Outerbridges Draft on Dr Milligen to J & U Tobler 29th. Jany last	100
George Galphins ditto on Mr Mcqueen to said Tobler's 24th Jany last	134.8
	£234.8

Mr. Tobler omitted to endorse these orders to me but as Mr Outerbridge was here when his came to hand, Mr Russell spoke to him about it, and he assured Him it should be paid notwithstanding this omission as he would be in Chas. Town himself In Respect to that on Mr McQueen I had return'd it to the revd. Mr Zubly but he is now of opinion that the enclosed Letter to said Mr Mcqueen may facilitate its Payment and which please to Deliver with the order I must beg you to forward the two enclosed Pacquets for Mr Thomson by the first two Conveyances that may offer for Britain & should be very Glad if you could send me a hhd. muscovado Sugar at or about £10 your money per 100 lb.

I have somehow or another mislaid your last Letter which came to hand when I was quite Ill I think you mentioned something re-

lating [to] Toblers Affairs with you If I can be of any Service to you in this respect it will be a Pleasure to Sir yours &ra

June 2d. 1760

Mr Josiah Smith

Sir I have just now received a Bill on New York for £50 Sterling on Mr Motier, Paymaster of the Troops on Account of our Rangers Service and should be glad to know whether it would suit you to receive it & pass it to my Credit & am Sir yours &cra

T R

The revd Mr Bolzius desires me to get for him from Charlestown a Ten gallon Cag of good madeira Wine or vidonia, also a Ten gallon Cag of old Jamaica or Barbados Rum which please to send me per the first safe Opportunity.

Savannah Georgia June 2d. 1760

Devonsheir Reeve & Lloyd

Gentlemen

I received your Letter by the Sally Capt. Moat together with the Goods shipt me by him, and this serves to hand you the first of a Sett of Bills drawn by John Markham on Henry Bird Esq. payable to Grahams & Mossman and dated the 7th last March for one hundred Pounds Sterling which when paid you'l pass to my Credit. Mr. Thomson acquaints me that he has desired you to send me out a few Nails that he cou'd not procure for me at London which I make no doubt you'l comply with. In Case you shoud have shipt me the Woollens in Consequence of my Order of the 31st. December. last and the Vessel shoud be taken, you'l in reshipping them reduce the Quantity of Plains & Duffills to one half of what was ordered and intirely omit the Strouds.

I am Srs.

&ca.

Savannah Georgia June 2d. 1760

Mr. William Thomson

Sir In mine of the 5th. Ulto. I acknowledged the Receipt of the Goods per Rains and in the same remitted you Bills to the Amount of Two hundred Pounds sterling which I hope came safe to hand and are I believe indubitable. Capt. Ball is just now come round from Charlestown and I expect will be up this River in a Day or two hence.

Our affairs here at present wear a very gloomy Aspect which is the principal Reason of my troubling you with this - you will undoubtedly hear before this reaches you of the Hostilities and

Barbarities committed by the Cherokee Indians on the out Settlements of Carolina &ca and I am sorry to acquaint you that we are now under great Apprehension from the Creek Indian Nation also, were some of the Traders have been lately murdered and the remainder of them fled to Charlestown, Savannah &ca for Refuge. We cannot at present discover whether the Creeks are unanimous or not for a Rupture with the English, as some of the Traders were escorted to the Settlements by a Party of those Indians; and they have hitherto effected a strict Nuetrality between us & the Cherokees, but on the whole we have Reason to believe that these Commotions take their Rise from some deep laid Scheme of the French against the Two Provinces, for as they were worsted to the Northward by our Arms they retreated in great Numbers down the Mississippi and of Course must be now very formidable on the back of So. Carolina & Georgia, therefore as we seem to be at present in a critical Situation I must beg you in Case the ordered Goods in mine of the 1st. February last (which I suppose will be shipped before this reaches you) shoud be taken that in reshipping them you'l reduce their Quantities as near as you can to one half of what is ordered except some Articles for the Indian Trade Vizt Vermillion, Beads, Ear Bobs and gilt Belts which I woud have intirely omitted. I expect to make you very shortly a considerable Remittance in Bills and am Sr. &ca

Thos. Rasberry

John Tobler Esqr per Mathias Ash Savannah June 6th. 1760

I receiv'd all the Goods back again sent you per Mr Jervis except 3 bottles Turlington & now send you the following in your Boat namely

1 box 20 lb Tea	3.17.6	
56 lb Swan Shott	0.9.6	
2 Dozen Buttons	0.0.4	
	4.7.4	
50 advance	2.3.8	
	6.11.0	
1 hhd Rum	19.10.0	at 120 gns [?] a 3/3
2 papers James Powder	0.10.0	
	£26.11.0	

I hope the above may reach you safely & am Sir

Savannah June 6th. 1760

Josiah Smith

Sir The foregoing I wrote you the 2d Instant but miss'd its Conveyance since which I have receiv'd the missing Trunk pr. Raines and the sugar per Tufts and kindly thank you for what you sent me for my Disorder

I notice the contents of your Favour of the 17th Ulto. and have mention'd to the Revd. Mr. Zubly (who is impower'd to settle the Affairs of Mr Tobler's Partnership) your Demand on him which I believe will soon be paid you as I receivd your account against him from Mr Robinson I must beg the favour of you to forward the 4 enclosed Letters by the 2 very first Opportunities for any Port of Britain - they are Copies and youl PLease to take Care that 2 of them Directed to one house dont go by one Conveyance we have almost dailey Expresses from the Creek Indian Nation but their contents afford such a variety of Accounts that it is impossible at Present to form a Just [?] idea [of] the intentions of these Indians but on the whole our affairs seem to carry with them a Gloomy Aspect and must request should any Goods come to your Hands shortly for me that youd please to wait Directions concerning their coming here

I should be glad to have your reply to the former Part of this as soon as Possible and am Sir yours &ra

Savannah June 21st. 1760

Mr Josiah Smith

Sir/ I wrote you a few Lines the 6th. Instant wherein I desir'd you in case any Goods should arrive for me from Europe that you'd wait my Directions as to their coming round here, but as since then we have receiv'd some more favourable Accounts from the Creeks, we begin to be less apprehensive of Danger and I think at present they may safely be sent round, except the Strouds I expect in from Bristol as they were intended for the deceas'd Captain Tobler, and I shall have now no manner of use for them, I must therefore beg the favour of you to sell them for me in Charles Town, on the best Terms you Can, and in order to come at the Cost please to open my Bristol Letter.

I should also be glad that you'd please to send me per the Bearer 1 hhd Rum, 1 hhd coarse Sugar the same as the last and about 200 Lb. Coffee. I must beg the favour of you to forward the four enclos'd Letters for England by the Two next opportunities that may offer - they are Copies and one of each must go together as they are tied up they are also Copies of those sent you the 6th Instant and you'l please to take Care that neither of these goes by either of the Con-

veyances of the 6th. Instant (if they are yet in your Hands) you'l find also enclos'd a Pacquet for the revd Mr Ziegenhagen which you may forward by either of the Conveyances

I have also enclos'd you Thos. Norman's Draft on Mr Mcqueen to John & U Tobler for £120 your money which when paid you'l pass to my Credit together with £172.2.6 in your money which you'l likewise find herein & I should be glad if you have Leisure to send me my Account Current for the last six Months.

I am Sir &cra

Savannah June 23d. 1760

Mr. John Smith

Sr I have sent you enclosed Lachn. & Geo[rg]e Mcintosh's order on Smith & Nutt to Elliott & Gordon dated the 5th. Ulto for £50 Sterling, also J & U Toblers Draft on Alexr. Shaw 21st. Ulto favour the revd. Mr Zubly for £220.19.1 your Money making together five hundred seventy Pounds nineteen Shillings and one penny South Caro. Currency which I send you in part Payment for the Rice received from your Plantation of your last Crop.

I am &cra

Mr Shaw lives somewhere about Combahee

Mr William Thomson Savannah Georgia July 14th. 1760

I wrote you a Line the 2d. Ulto. which I now confirm by the enclosed Copy thereof and on the 5th. of the preceeding Month (May) I made you a Remittance of Two hundred Pounds Sterling in Bills, which I hope will safely reach you and be duely honoured. our Indian Affairs, by recent Accounts, does not as yet wear a very promising Aspect, altho' a Body of Troops from General Amherst under Col. Montgomery has penetrated into the lower Cherokee Nation, killed & captivated more than 100 of these Savages, burnt several of their Towns and done them other considerable damage, yet their Nation in general seem not inclined to come into the pacifick Measures offered them by said Col. Montgomery, which has determined him to pursue his March to their upper Towns (tho' by all Accounts extreemly hazardous) to relieve a Garrison of about 200 Men, that has been cooped up there for many Months past in a Fort (Loudon) constructed by us before these Commotions begun, and it's generally belived that the Event of this March will determine what we may expect from our nearer Savage, Neighbours the Creeks.

As I have already acknowledged the Receipt of the Goods shipt me in Rains, I have only to mention that those also by Ball came safe to hand, your Letter of the 9th. April last lyes now before me, and to which I am now to reply. I particularly notice what you say

as to my Mistake in the difference of Quality between Mr Grahams Indico and mine sent you & Mr Nutt by same Conveyance, and tho' I have no manner of Reason (myself) to impeach your Conduct in this Affair, yet it was necessary to say somewhat about it, in order to satisfy the Proprietors as I was only the Shipper of the major part of it, and I am of Opinion that Grahams was more carefully sorted before shipped. I also observe what you mention in regard to our Rangers Bills, I thank you for your directions concerning them, but for the future it seems they are all to be drawn on New York, which yet makes them the more unacceptable to us as they are liable to a heavy discompt for negotiation, we having little or no Communication now with that Province.

I shoud be very glad to hear that you've received my Letter of the 6th. last March wherein I sent you several Setts of Bills amounting to £782.14.11½ sterling all of which (if they safely reached you) I make no doubt has been duly honoured; and by this Opportunity I enclose you the undermentioned Setts amounting to £ [blank] which in my Opinion are also indubitable. Namely

Govr Ellis's Bills on Mr. Martyn dated the 7th. Inst. to Grahams & Mossman for	74.16.3
dos. do. to do. same date on do.	50.0.0
dos. do. to me on do. same date	184.11.3
dos. do. to me on do. same date	20.12.6
dos. do. to me on do. same date	80.0.0
	410.0.0
revd. Mr. Bolzius's Bills on Thos. Broughton to me 20th Ulto.	31.12.2
William De Brahms do. on Mr. Martyn to me dated the 11th. Instant	75.0.0
Henry Yonges do. to me the 20th June last on the Bishop of Bristol	25.0.0
Revd. Mr. Bolzius's do. to me on Mr Broughton dated the 2d. Inst.	17.13.2
Samuel Balls do. to Grahams & Mossman of this date on James & Charles Crokatt	79.17.6
	£639.2.10

Messrs. Flerl & Wertsch have shewn me your Account with them whereon there appears a Ballance due you of £15.8.3 Sterling which you may charge to my Account, and I must also beg of you to pay Mr Jacob Israel of Mansel Street Goodmans Fields Ten Pounds Ten

Shillings sterling, who will call on you for this Purpose with which Sum youl also please to charge me

I have nothing more to add at present than that I am Sir your very hble Servt.

P.S. you'l please to observe that there are no Letters of Advice either to the Governors Bills on Mr Yonges, tho' each of them are drawn as per Advice - as to the former I'me acquainted that there are general Lre's of Advice transmitted for the whole Expence, and in respect to the latter Mr Yonge tells me that his Brother (the Bishop) will be sufficiently advised of this Draft both by this Conveyance and other subsequent Opportunities. Mr. Bolzius's Letters with his two Setts of Bills were all sealed before I received them, therefore I send two of said Lres, at Random not knowing whether they may immediately respect his enclosed Drafts or not, but as the Bills are in his own hand Writing (which Mr. Broughton must be intirely acquainted with) I apprehend shou'd any Contrast appear between the Letters and Bills it will not retard their payment. Capt. Ball resolving to go done this Evening, prevents me enquiring of Mr. Bolzius (who you know lives at 30 Miles Distance) as to the Connextion between the Bills & Letters.

Savannah July the 16th. 1760

Mr Josiah Smith

Sir I received your Letter in answer to mine concerning the Bill that I had on N York which I have otherwise dispos'd off. I have also the Invoice &cra of the Bristol Goods whereof you advise me and hope they are all now in Drummond except the Stroud which I desired you in mine of the 21st Ulto to endeavour to sell them in your Town for my Account you'l find under Cover Capt Thos Goldsmiths order on Lieut Jno. Gray 25th Ulto. to Graham's & Mossman for £29.1.0 Sterling which youl pass to my Credit when paid & must beg you to send me per next opportunity 1 hogshead Rum, 12 lb. Chocalate, & 200 Lb. Sope. The enclos'd Letter for Mr Thomson youl please to fforward by the first Vessell for any Part of Britain I expect soon to make you a more Considerable Remittance and am &ca

I have hadded herein £14.16.3 in your Paper Currency which youl place to my Credit

Mr Banbury Savannah July 16, 1760

I should have reply'd to your favour relating Capt Longstaff's Wine before now but have been for a long Time past very unwell. The wine prov'd so indifferent that I was Glad to sell it at any rate there's 3 Pipes sold at £18 each but I have not yet receiv'd Pay-

ment for either of them as soon as I get the money which must be in our Paper Currency I shall endeavour to convert it into something to send you the fourth Pipe in which there appears a Considerable Ullage I shall take my self. I am &ra

Thomas Rasberry

Savannah Augt. 17th. 1760

Mr John Chapman

Sir I must beg the Favour of you to send me 12 lb of the best Dutch Glaz'd shoe Thread by the return of the Bearer and with it the Cost which shall be remitted you per first Opportunity afterwards which will oblige your

most humble Servant
T Rasberry

Mr. Josiah Smith
per Crawdy

Savannah Augst. 21st. 1760

Sir I have received your Letters per Drummond and Talbert of last Month together with the sundry Articles therein mentioned sent me by them I notice the Detension of my woollens from Bristol in Consequence of an Act of your Assembly which may probably prove very Detrimental to me unless they may have leave to come up before the cool weather sets in.

I observe your having £22.5/ Sterling our money in your Hands which you desire me to exchange, notwithstanding I am frequently put to some difficulty in making you a Suitable Payment; yet in order to oblige you I'll do the best I can with it when you send it me up. I have sent you Inclos'd John Toblers Draft on you the 8th. Instant in my Favour for £70 Sterlg. which if right you'l PLace to my Credit and Charge me with that small Ballance due you from John & Ulric Tobler. I should be very Glad if you'd send me by first good Opportunity the following Articles Vizt

1 Cask about 130 lb. good Coffee
2 hhds. Sugar at £10 or £11 if then to be had
2 Groce Empty Bottles
6 lb. Shoe Thread & 1 lb Castile Sope for Medicine

If when an Opportunity offers to send up the Sugars and you cannot meet with any so low as £11 thats tollerable in Quality youl then go to a higher Price for I must have some Sugars - the Coffee you sent me was very Ordinary and I must have Better tho you Advance in Price. The Sope & Shoe Thread Crawdy may bring with him

Please to forward the 2 enclosd Packets for London per 2 Con-

veyances just as they are tyed up and in Case the Packet I sent you the 16th. Ulto. for Mr. Thomson is yet in your hands you'l please to take Care that the present one for said Mr. Thomson and that do not go together as they are Copies

I am Sir

Thos. Rasberry

please to retain the loose Packett for Mr Lloyd for a 3d. Conveyance

Mr. John Smith August 21st. 1760

per Crawdy

Sir/ Youl find enclosed Willm Gilbart's Order on you in my Favour the 4th. Instant for £282.19 your Currency which youl place to my Credit. You have also herein enclosed the state of your Accot. as it stood on my Books the 30th Last June wherein there appears a Ballance due you of £133.5.7½ Sterg. I have made several little Charges against you since for your PLanta[tion] nor have I as yet the whole of Prunieres Debt I am very sorry to hear that you are ailing and heartly wish you the recovery of your health.

Thos. Rasberry

PLease to acknowledge the Receipt of this per Bearer

Savannah Augst. 23d. 1760

John Tobler Esqr

Sr. I received your Letter of the 9th. Inst. enclosing £15.1.3 Sterling in Cash for your own Account together with the undermentioned Orders for Account of Messrs. J & U Tobler Namely

Your Draft on Josiah Smith	70.
Mr Galphin's do. on Mcqueen Gordon & Co. for 477.11.9 So Caro. Curry	68.4.6¼
	138.4.6¼

all which are carried to your Credits respectively

I observe what you say concerning your sending for sundry Goods, if our Indian Affairs don't grow worse. I hope they will not, and you may depend on having these Articles when ever you think it convenient to send for them. I seldom or ever see Hudson or Thomas, but yesterday I received a Letter from the Former, wherein he promises to pay you very speedily. Mr Newmans Order on Mr Mcqueen was refused payment in Charles Town. I returned it again to

the Revd. Mr. Zubly who has undoubtedly, acquainted you therewith.

I am Sr &ca

P.S. Your Lre for Switzerland is already gone for Chas. To.

Savannah Septr 1st. 1760

Mr Josiah Smith

Sir I wrote you a few Lines the 21st. Ulto per Adam Crawdy, to which I've had no reply, which I apprehend was owing to his short stay in your Town & your being absent when he delivered my Packet at your House. This comes in Capt. Drummond at whose return here (if he comes back direct) I must intreat of you by all means to get Leave for my Negro Cloth & Blankets to come up in him, the Season for the Disposal of them is now drawing nigh, & my Customer's for those Articles are daily enquiring for them in order that their Negro Clothing may be ready on the first approach of the Cold which may be now very soon Expected. As to the Strouds (Since Capt. Toblers Disease for whom they were entirely intended) I have now no manner of Occasion for them nor no other Indian Articles, and I must beg of you (that if you cannot dispose of them readily in Charles Town on a reasonable advance) that you'd ship them to any of the Northward Provinces for my Account & you have here enclos'd the Cost & Charges of them copied from the Original Invoice for your Government. you'l also find under Cover £200 in your Currency to be placed to my Credit. I make no Doubt of your kind Compliance to the Contents of mine the 21st Ulto. per Crawdy & am Sir

T Rasberry

In Case you find it impracticable to obtain Leave for my Plains coming away soon, I believe in my next I shall desire you to sell them in Chas Town

Mr William Thomson

Union - Strachan - London
Salisbury - Sharpe - Bristol

Savannah Georgia Septembr. 5th 1760

My last was the 14th July which I hope came safe to hand as it enclosed you a Remittance of £639.2.10 Sterling in Bills which I make no manner of doubt were unexceptionable. Since my said Lre of July Coll. Montgomery has met with a Check in the middle Cherokee Towns and Fort Loudoun surrendered, on Terms, to these Indians, who, however, by Accounts we have received, seem at present to be vary desirous of Peace. As to the Creeks, they have committed

no other Act of Hostility against us than what I mentioned in mine of the 2d. June, and the Major part of their Nation has since not only disowned having having any Concern but even any previous Knowledge of the Outrage committed on their Traders, and as a Proof thereof have brought down to Augusta a great Part of the Effects of those who were either killed or abandoned their Nation; so that from these, and several other corroberating Circumstances, we have Reason to hope that Matters may be soon be accomodated with the Indians and it is in Confidence of this that I am now to desire you to ship me as soon as possible after the Receipt hereof the following Articles under Insurance Namely

500 yds white Edinburghs a 8d per yd
1300 yds brown ditto a 7d.
1200 yds Irish OSnabrig a 7d.
6 ps. ¾ Irish Linnen a 12d. per yd
6 ps. ⅞ ditto a 14d.
6 ps. " ditto a 16d.
6 ps. " ditto a 18d.
4 ps. " ditto a 21d.
4 ps. " ditto a 2s.
2 ps. ditto a 2/6
2 ps. ditto a 2/9
6 ps. Irish Sheeting a 12d. per yd
4 ps. Dowlas a 16s. per ps.
4 ps. ditto a' 18s
4 ps. ditto a 21s
4 ps. ditto a 25s
4 ps. ditto a 27/6
4 ps. ditto a 30/
3 ps. ¾ Garlix a 18/ per ps.
3 ps. ditto a 20/
3 ps. ditto a 22/
3 ps. ditto a 24/
4 ps. manchester striped Cotton Hollands a 14d. per yd
2 ps. ditto a 16d
2 ps. ditto a 18d.
6 ps. 7/8ths cotton Check a 13d per Ell
6 ps. ditto a 16d
6 ps. ditto a 19d
6 ps. yd wd. ditto a 14d per Ell
6 ps. ditto a 16d
6 ps. ditto a 20d

12 Womens blue & white striped cotton Gowns at 8/6 or 9s. each - striped the length Way of the Cloth and narrow Stripes

2 ps. blue & white striped Ginghams at 20/ per ps } narrow Stripes
2 ps. red & white striped ditto at 27s. per ps. }

15 ps. cotton Romall Handkerchiefs a' 10/6 per ps.
4 ps. Cambrick at 22/ per ps
4 ps. ditto at 26/
2 ps. ditto at 30/
1 ps. ditto at 35/
1 ps. ditto at 40/
2 ps. Kenting a 12/ per ps
2 ps. ditto a 15/
2 ps. ditto a 18/
2 ps. long Lawns 32 yds ea at 52/ per ps
2 ps. ditto a' 63/
2 ps. ditto a' 72/

12 ps. 18 yard Callicoe with white Grounds and large Flowers (6 at 26s. per ps. & 6 ps. at 30/) }
12 ps. dark ground ditto at 18/ per ps. } Patterns for Gowns
12 ps. blue ground Chintz at 25/ per ps }
12 ps. 5 coloured white ground ditto a 26/ per ps }

6 ps.double china blue & White printed Linnen of 8½ or 8-¾ yards each at 2/2 per yd

6 ps. purple & white ditto about 17 yds each at 18d per yd of different Patterns

3 doz silk Handkerchiefs at 29s. per doz } let a few of these
3 doz ditto at 38/ per doz } be blue ground

1 doz womens coloured gauze Handkerchiefs different colours

1 doz mens striped single silk Caps abt. 44/ per doz. but none of them black

4 doz blue & white linnen Handkerchiefs spotted at 11/6 per doz

4 dos paste work ditto a' 12/9 per doz.

1 doz womens black silk Mittens at 40/ or 45/ per doz

1 doz dos. do. coloured and of different Colours

2 doz woms. open arm'd cotton Mittens a 18/ per doz

2 doz dos. do 24/ per doz

2 doz mens striped cotton Caps a 9s. per dz

2 doz mens fine plain white thread Stockings about 45s per doz

2 doz dos. brown thread ditto a good Sort

12 ordinary bed Ticks at 9 or 10/ each

25 lb. good OSnabrig Thread full weight

15 lb. ditto lower priced done up in half pounds

12 lb. whited brown ditto a' 2/2
6 lb. Stiching Thread a' 3/
6 lb. ditto a' 3/6
6 lb. ditto a' 3/9
½ lb. fine ounce ditto a' 25/ per Lb
½ lb. ditto a' 30/
18 doz blue & white dutch Pretties
6 doz. narrow figured Ribbons for Children
2 doz. youths castor Hatts at 30/ per doz.
4 doz mens do. a' 36/ per doz
4 doz dos. do. a 24/ per doz
2 doz. woms. black hair Hatts
4 doz. woms. straw Hatts
2 doz. girls ditto
please to let these straw Hatts be of a midling Quality the last you sent was too coarse
6 woms. coloured flowered silk Hatts
6 ditto plain sattin
1 doz black silk Bonnetts or half Hatts
1 doz black silk Hives
6 ps. ⅞ Garlix at 18/
6 ps. do. a 20/
4 ps. do. a 22/6
4 ps. do. a 25/
4 ps. do. a 27/6
3 doz mens single channel Pumps
4 doz. womens stuff damask & everlasting Shoes, let a few pr. be black but none yellow
2 doz. girls ditto - sorted
2 doz. woms. leather Shoes
2 doz. girls do. } sorted
2 doz. boys do. }
2 Reams post Paper a' 14/6 or 15/
8 Rms. fools cap do. a 12/6
6 Rms. pot do. a 8 or 9s
2 Rms. brown do
2 Rms. whited brown do.
1 doz lead Ink Stands with Glasses at 14/ per doz
6 doz. black lead Pencils chiefly of the smallest Size
2 doz. Primmers
4 doz. horn Books with gilt or silvered leather Backs
2 doz. PSalters
2 doz. tin pudding Pans at 10/ per doz.

2 doz ditto at 12/
12 doz quart tin Potts
12 doz pint ditto
12 doz. half pint ditto
2 doz. 3 pint tin Boylers
6 doz. 1 Lb. Cannisters
2 doz. 2 Lb. ditto
4 Nests tin Kettles
6 Nests red gilt Trunks
6 doz best mettal flat pewter Plates
2 doz. soop ditto
½ doz. soop Dishes sorted
2 doz. socket Spades a' 35s/ per doz.
50 Lb. dutch glazed Shoe Thread
2 doz Hinges with hooks a' 4/6 per doz
2 doz ditto a 6/6
2 doz. ditto a' 9s.
1 doz. ditto a 14/
1 doz. ditto a 20/
2 doz. X garnet ditto a 4/6 per dz
2 doz. ditto a 6/6
2 doz. ditto a 9s.
1 doz. ditto a 14/
1 doz. ditto a 20/
12 doz. rice Sickles a 4/16 per doz.
2 doz. claw Hammers a' 12/ per doz } all with solid Cheeks
2 doz. ditto a 14/ }
6 7 feet X cut Saws, best Sort
12 doz. hand saw Files at 20d. per doz
2 groce Aul BLades sorted
6 small steel Coffee Mills at 6/ each
6 large ditto at 7s. ea.
1 doz. flat brass Candlesticks at 2/6 each
1 doz. ditto with Tinder Boxes a 2/3 each
1 doz. brass Snuffers a' 11/ per doz
1 doz. copper Tea Kettles sorted
4 doz. Table Knives & Forks at 2/6 per doz.
4 doz. ditto a 3/9
4 doz. ditto a 5/
all split Handles and what I mean by a dozen is 6 Knives & 6 Forks
8 doz small cuttoe Knives a' 3/ per doz.
8 doz. ditto a 4/

4 doz. ditto a 5/
10m. Needles sorted, but chiefly of the Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and put up in papers of 25 each being the more convenient for Sale
4 doz. best minikin Pins a' 6/
4 doz. short Whites a 7/6
4 doz. 11 Lb. a 5/
4 doz. X Whites a 7s
4 doz. 4½ a 9/6
4 doz. M.C. a 12/
The Same as you had from Hardy & sent per the Harrietta the first Time.
2 doz. square steel Shoe Buckells a' 4/ per doz.
2 doz. a 5/ per do.
2 doz. large fine tooth box Combs
6 2 quart china Bowls
6 1 quart ditto
6 pint ditto
6 doz. Tea Cups & Saucers
} blue & white
6 doz. burnt in ditto
please to order the above Cups & Saucers to be pretty large & plain, i. e., neither scollopt, or ribb'd.
24 doz. pr. white stone Cups & Saucers. a' 18d. per doz pr.
24 doz. pr. blue & white ditto a' 18d. per doz pr.
9 doz. hemp fish Lines at 2/ per doz.
9 doz. do. a' 3/ per doz.
4 doz. cotton do a' 10/ per doz.
2 . . 0 . . 0 2 Inch white Rope
300 Lb. F Gunpowder
200 H ditto
in 1/4th. and 1/8th. Barrels and please to give particular Directions to send none but what is really good
5 . . 0 . . 0 Bird & mustard seed Shot
3 . . 0 . . 0 small swan Shot
6 netted ell wide Umbrelloes
6 do. yard wide do
1 Chest Bohea Tea
6 . . 0 . . 0 single Loaf Sugar in small hard baked Loaves
12 Lb. common fig Blue
1 . . 0 . . 0 common Starch
3 half Chests florence Oyl
1 . . 0 . . 0 Salt petre
12 Lb. 3 strand net Twine at 13d. per Lb
18 lb. sail ditto a 12d.

12 lb. casting net ditto a 2/6
12 ps. brown Roles at 4-¾ or 5d. per Ell
1 ps. yard wide flowered Dimmitty abt. 20 yards at 36/ per ps.
2 ps. fine brown Holland (or Silesia) about 35 yds each at 35 or 36s. per ps.
1 ps. meal Sacking at 7-¾d. per yd
2 ps. corded Dimmitty of 15 yds each at 14/6 per ps.
2 ps. do. a 17s.
2 ps. do. a 20s.
4 groce scarlet star Gartering at 9s. per gro.
6 black knit Breeches Patterns a 6/6 each
3 blue ditto a' 7s
3 scarlett ditto a' 9s
2 ps. dyed Pillow or Fustian dark brown a 23/ per ps.
2 ps. ditto light olive a 34/ per ps
2 ps. ditto do. a 38/

I shou'd be glad to have the Edinburgs and OSnabrig come out in small, or what they call, half peices, being by far much the more handy for Sale. I have received Complaints from several of my Customers of the bad quality of the Irish Linnens you have lately sent me, as being very rotten, notwithstanding there was no manner of Appearance of any Sea Damage when opened, and how to account for it, I know not, unless those ps. complained off might have been old Shopkeepers and so decayed by Age, which you'l please to hint to Wakefield & Co. who sent them. Its also supposed and really so appears that Mr. Woodrooffe charges his Hosiery to high, particularly his Stockings, and more especially some thread ribbd that came last in Raines & Ball too which their price and quality bears no manner of Affinity, and we must be obliged, I am afraid, to sell them much under the common Advance in Order to get rid of 'em. I can assure you, 'its equally disagreable to me either to receive or make Complaints of any kind. Yet on the other hand I'me of Opinion it may be sometimes necessary to hint these Remarks to some of your Tradesmen as a Rule for their future Conduct when ever their appears a reasonable Necessity for it. In mine of the 2d June last you were desired (on Account of our Indian Commotions) "that if you had already executed my Order of the 1st. February, preceeding, and the Goods shou'd be taken, that in reshipping them you'd reduce the Quanity to one half of what was ordered;" if that Lre reached you in Time (of which I'me in Doubt) and only the half of them are coming out, 'its probable they may be sufficient until I am again supplyed in Consequence of this, but if otherwise the whole of them are on their Way here they'l not

be too much for my Sale and I woud not have this present Order diminished on Account of what I wrote you the said 2d. June. I shall, if possible, by this Conveyance make you a Remittance in Bills to the Amount of £200 or upwards and am collecting what Indico, Deer Skins &ca. I can, in order to send you the coming Winter. I believe you'l find a small Error of 10/ in your prejudice in my Acct. Current closed 31st December last - Vizt Augst. 31st. 1758 where the Sum carried out £835.2.4 Goods per the Union and Mercury shoud be 835.12.4 which you'l please to rectify.

In taking a review of the foregoing Goods Ordered I found that I had omitted several principal Articles which will be wanted & I must therefore desire you to make an Addittion to this Order of the following

40m. 20d Nails - one half in bags of 2m. each
40m. 10d do - one half in do. of 2m. each
40m. 8d do - one half in do. of 4m. each
40m. 6d do - one half in do. of 4m. ea.
60m. 5d do - one half in do. of 6m. ea.
40m. 4d do - one half in do. of 6m. ea.
6m. 8d Clout Nails
6m. 6d do.
6m. 4d do.
2 ps. black double 10d. Ribbon
1 ps. single do.
2 ps. double 8d. do.
1 ps. single do.
2 ps. double 6d. do.
1 ps. single do.
½ groce black Silk Ferretting
½ gro. blue do.

You'l please to notice that I wou'd not have the whole of the Goods herein ordered to come out at one Time, it wou'd be more suitable to me to have the Order divided as near as can be done with Conveniency and one half of them shipped so as to be here some time in March next and the other half in June following; please to let the woms. silk Hatts be of the newest Fashion. I have not yet received the Bills I intended to send you herewith but expect to have them in a Day or two

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah Septr. 3d 1760

Since I wrote you the 1st. Inst. (which also goes per this Conveyance) I have had an Opporty. of disposing of the Bale of white Plains No 1 2ps blue, 1 ps green and 1 ps drab coloured in the

other Bale of same Number (1) and 2 ps. Blanketts in Bale No 2 to an old Customer of mine Mr. Isaac Brabant of Purrysburg in your Province and I must beg you to deliver the same to his Order. In this Case you'l be under the Necessity of opening 2 Bales i. e. the smallest of No 1 and 2 and I must beg of you to see the Remainder of them well repacked on Account of the destructive Moth. The detention of these Articles may prove very detrimental to me, and I was glad of the Opportunity of thus disposing of part of them while in your Town.

I am Sir &ca

Mr Josiah Smith — Savannah Septr. 15th. 1760

per Mr. Wylly & W. Ely

I received your Favours per Capt Tuffts but cannot particularly reply to them now as the Bearer is instantly going away. This serving only to advise you that I have nothing at all by Coombs that comes within the Limitation of your Act. The Articles I have by Strachan which are liable to be stopt are these Vizt

T. R. No 28, 29 } 2 bales Duffills
36 1 do. coloured PLains & Gunpowder

I believe Messrs. McCartan & Campbell are wrote to by this Conveyance to hire a Vessel to bring up some Goods for Messrs. Johnson & Wylly of this Town, if you have not already engaged the Freight of mine you'l please to send them by the same Opportunity

I am Sr. &ca.

PS. The 3 Bales from Bristol per the Salisbury - Sharpe are Plains Strouds and Duffills

Mr. Josiah Smith — Savannah Septembr. 26 1760

per Capt. Tuffts

I wrote you a Line about 10 or 11 days since by Mr. Wylly which I hope came safe to hand, and I am now to acknowledge the receipt of the 22.5.0 in our Money (say Sterling) together with the sundry Articles sent me in Capt. Tuffts amounting to £269.9.4 your Currency for which two Sums you are duly credited. I have also the mistaken Draft of Mr Toblers on you for £70 Stg together with a Lre (I presume) from Messrs. Smith & Brewton in order to clear up this Affair, I expect to have an Oppo. to send them to him a few days hence, and as Mr. Tobler proposes this as a Payment to me, there's little to fear, I think, of its not coming into your hand.

I am in great hope that Permission ere this may have been given for our negroe Cloathing coming away from your Town, otherwise

it must shortly appear a very melancholy Case to see Numbers of our Negroes perishing with Cold, and we incapable of helping them by reason of the detention of those very Articles intended for them. I am the more concerned at this Event as Mr. Brabant may be disappointed of that part of my Woollens that he has bought of me for the Use of the Negroes and poor white People in and about Purrysburg, he writes again to Mr. Poyas about them which Lre please to deliver. I expect very shortly to make you a considerable Remittance (exclusive that of Mr. Toblers) and shoud be glad if youd give my Compliments to Mr Banbury and tell him that perhaps by next Oppo. I shall remit him also on Account of Capt. Longstaffe's Wine

I am Sr. &ca

If Capt. Tuffts returns here direct please to send me by him two Hogsheads Rum, if not, by any other good Opportunity let it be such as is intitled to the Drawback & large Hhds

Mr. Josiah Smith September 29 1760

Sr.

I had forgot to desire you to send me 300 lb Sope in two boxes per first Opportunity which please to do and youl oblige

Yrs &ca.

Savannah October 3d. 1760

Mr. Tobler (Per Wm. Little)

Sir I have receiv'd your letter of the 24th Ulto. by Mr Little, with 2 bundles Beaver skins but as to the Deer skins (you mention coming down per this Opportunity) I am inform'd by Mr Little that the man (Bendar) would not put them into the Boat for reasons he'l give you, therefore I have not receiv'd them which I should been very Glad to have done, if they had been sent.

I observe what you say as to some Omissions in your Company's Account sent you which was Occasion'd thro' haste the £16.19.6 for the Corn per Bergeron & the 120 lb deer skins £13.143¼ you'l find on the Credit of your next Account of the Company's the steer hides you mention were not deliver'd to me Mr Barnards People who brought them Carried them up again. Mr D Zubly desires me to acquaint you concerning the late Mr Cook's Indico which I settled with your son the 8th of November 1758 you'l please to refer to that Account & you'l find a Credit given J & U. Tobler that day by Cornelius Cook of £18.17.6-¾ which was a Ballance then due from me to Mr Cook and I never receiv'd anything from him afterwards upon your Account. The 3 bottles Turlington that are

missing were really deliver'd to the Patroon of the Boat (Jervis) they were done up in a sheet Paper by themselves & he put them into his Packet in my Presence.

I have receiv'd Mr Geo. Galphin's order of the 10th Ulto. on McQueen Gordon & Compa. for £120 So. C. Cy. which I shall get accepted & Placed to your Credit. by the Bearer Wm. Little I now send you the following Articles in Consequence of your Letters of the 9th. of August & 24th Ulto. - Namely.

1 hogsd. Rum 105½ galls. cost 3/9		£19.15.7½
1 Ble Sugar 300 Lb. Tr. 26 Nt. 274 Lb. a 36s per Ct		4.18.7½
1 Cag Balls 56 lb	0.8.3	
1 do. swan Shott	0.9.6	
1 box Pipes 6 gross	0.6.0	
2 Cags Gunpowder 50 lb	2.10.0	
½ rheam Post Paper	0.1.3	
	4.1.0	
Advance 50 per Ct	2.0.6	£ 6.1.6
		£ 30.15.9

Herein return you a Counterfeit Bill of 3/6 which you deliver'd Mr. Zubly with the other money for your own Account therefore you are only Credited with £15.6.2½ receiv'd per him. I should have now sent you the other Articles you mention in your two last Letters but I have none of them at present. I have a parcel of Goods lately arriv'd at Charles Town which I expect may come up here very shortly & by first Opportunity afterwards I shall send you what are now deficient

I am Sir
Your most humble Servant
Thomas Rasberry

P.S. I send you enclos'd your Draft on Mr Josiah Smith in Charles Town of the 8th. August last for £70 Sterling. Mr Smith when he returned this Order, says that he was surpriz'd at your drawing on him for such a sum, but as he concluded it to be a mistake as to the Person drawn on, he made Enquiry of those of his name about it & Found that Messrs. Smith & Brewton of Charles Town had orders to pay you this money upon your signing some particular receipts. You have herein a Letter from said Gentlemen which, I believe,

contains the receipts Mentiond, & which you'l please to put your name to and return to me by the next good Opportunity and the Money will then be paid but not otherwise

Mr William Banbury enclosed to Jos. Smith

Savannah Georgia October 13th. 1760

Sir I herein enclose you one hundred and eighty Pounds in your paper Currency which I send you on Account of the four Pipes of Wine that Capt. William Longstaffe left in my hands. I shall as soon as possible send you the Account Sales and the Remainder of their Nt. Proceeds, and am

Sr. &ca.

T. R.

Memd. The above £180 I recd. from Flerl & Wertsch, if any of it shou'd be counterfeit

Josiah Smith Savannah Octr. 13 1760

Sr. I have received your Favour of the 30th Ulto with my Goods per Churchill agreeable to Bill Lading, but was greatly surprized to find that none of my negroe Cloth &ca were on board him, and the more so because Messrs. Johnson & Wylly had not only Plains & Duffills but even Gunpowder also brought up a few Days since I believe per the Bearer or Capt Smith; I cannot say in what Manner they made their Application for this Permission, but I apprehend Messrs. McCartan & Campbell or Mr. Wylly woud readily acquaint you. Altho I have now intirely lost the Sale of the major part of these Woollens and which must lay on hand over the next Summer yet I've prevailed on 2 or 3 of my Customers to wait a little longer the Event of another Application which I must beg you to make on receipt hereof and acquaint me with your Success by the very first Opportunity that I may know what I have to depend on. You'l find herein McQueen Gordon & Cos. Order to me on John McQueen & C[o. fo]r four hundred seventy seven Pounds Stlg. your Currency (together with a Letter of Advice) which when paid youl place to my Credit. Messrs. Smith & Brewtons Letter to Mr Tobler is forwarded, I expect back again the Receipts by the first Opportunity when youl have them also to enable you to receive that Money. Please to forward the two enclosed Letters for Mr Thomson by first 2 Conveyances and I must again beg you to make all the Interest you can for Leave for my negroe Cloth Blanketts &ca to come up here as I have no Correspondent at Beaufort since Mr Jno Gordon left that PLace. I am Sir &ca

P.S I am not quite certain that Mess[rs.] Johnson & Wyllys Plains

&ca came up here in one of the late Conveyances but I am credibly informed that their Gunpowder (or a part thereof) did and was regularly cleared out at your Offices. Please to deliver the enclosed Letter for Mr Banbury. I wrote you the 26th Ulto per Capt Tuffts which I hope you have received as you were then desired to send me two large hhds Rum (intitled to Drawback) per next Opportunity N B large Hhds are most usefull for packing Skins and pays freight the same as small ones from your Town

John Tobler Esqr. Savannah October 25th. 1760

Sr. I wrote you the 3d. Instant by Wm Little and by him sent you sundry Goods amounting to £30.15.9 StLn. which I hope you have safely received. This comes in Mr. Raes Boat by which Opportunity I send you sundry other Articles amounting to £12.8.9 Sterling as per the enclosed Bill parcells. I also now return you John & Ulric Toblers Draft on Mr Alexr. Shaw of the 21st May to the revd. Mr Zubly for £220.19.0 yr. Currency being refused Payment, as said Mr Shaw says that he paid you all your Demands in June last. You'l find in the Goods I now send you the three missing Bottles Turlington, it seems the Patroon had desired Mrs. Cook to deliver them to you, which I suppose she forgot and brought them down here, and afterwards left them at a House in this Town were they have remained ever since unknown to me till this Day. In my last I sent you a Letter from Charles Town enclosing (I presume) some Receipts for you to sign in Order for me or my Correspondent there to receive your Money from Messrs. Smith & Brewton; youl please therefore to send the said Receipts (signed) per next Opportunity. I have received the last payment of Mr. Hudsons Debt a few Days agoe and J & U Tobler is credited therewith

I am Sir &ca

I am informed that John Thomas is gone to the Northward I am afraid youl loose that debt

Mr. William Thomson Savannah Georgia October 25th. 1760

Original per Henry Yonge

I wrote you the 5th Ulto. and therein gave you reason to expect very shortly a Remittance of £200 Sterling or upwards in Bills, since then I have received a more considerable Sum in Drafts on your City, Namely Five hundred sixteen Pounds 16/11½ Sterling which I enclose you in this, as under.

Pay Bill for P. George guard Boat up to the
27th. May last 168.5.6

Barto. Zouberbuhlers first Bill to Wm. Russell on Ed. Pearson dated 28th. last December	25.0.0
Dittos. do. on do. to W. De Brahm 21st July last	25.0.0
Dittos. do. on Benj. Martyn to do. same date	70.0.0
J. M. Bolzius's do. on Thos. Broughton to Chr. Rabenhorst dated 15th. ditto	76.17.8
Jos. Ottolenghes ditto to me on John Goodchild da. 24th Inst.	100.13.9½
Jno. Mcintosh's ditto to Elliott & Gordon on Jams. Fitter da. 16th. Augst. last	26.0.0
Morda. Sheftalls do. to Wm. Russell on Sa. Nichleson & Co. 5th. Ulto.	25.0.0
	£516.16.11½

I have received your sundry Favours of the 19th June and 2d. July last with the Goods per Strachan & Coombes, except the Blanketts & Gunpowder which are detained in Charles Town in Consequence of an Act lately passed in Carolina but I hope to have them also in a few days. I cannot particularly reply now to those Remarks contained in your Favour of the 2d. July but shall take notice thereof when I send you the seconds of these Bills & as Henry Yonge Esqr our Surveyor General will be the Bearer of this to him I refer you for the PLains and Duffils to be sent me which I expect to receive for Enquiry as to the present posture of our Indian Affairs, which I only shall say in general appear to be some what less alarming than they were a short Time agoe. I shall only add that as I believe the Bills I now send you are all unexceptionable I make no doubt of their being placed to the Credit of

Yr. hble Servt.

T. R.

I must beg you to send me the Account Sales of the Indico, as I cannot settle with some Persons here for want of it

Mr. Josiah Smith — Savannah 27th. October 1760

per Capt. Talbert

Sir/ I received your Letter of the 20th Instant by Capt Lyford who now lyes down at Quartine PLace, when he comes up to Town the rum and Sope you sent me per him will be received. I am glad that you have at last got Permission for my PLains and Duffills to come up. I shoud also have been very glad to have had the Gunpowder as I have hardly a Grain now to sell however we must wait a little

longer for that. I now send you per the Bearer 2 bundles Beaver Skins belonging to Mr Tobler wt. 123 lb which youl please to sell and pass their Proceeds to my Credit. I must likewise beg the favour of you to engage Timothys News Paper for Mr John Flerl of this Place to be sent him in common with those for his other Customers. youl advise me when you have received Paymt. of the Drat. on McQueen & Co. for 477.11.9 your Curry. which at present is the needfull from

Yr. hble Servt.
T. R.

Mr. Josiah Smith Savannah Octr. 31st 1760
per Capt. Braddock

I wrote you a Line the 27th Instant per Talbert and sent you per Him 2 bundles Beaver for Sale, this will be deliver'd you per Capt Braddock and encloses £27 in your Paper Currency which you'l place to my Credit, and I must beg you to pay Mr Timothy for 2 Years News Papers for the revd Mr Bolzius and one Years ditto for Mr Francis Harris, also Mr Wells 2 Years for the latter & send me their receipts respectively I must also beg you to pay Mr Alexandr. Michie Ten Pounds your Currency for Account of Mr Debra'm charging me with the same. I shall make you a Remittance more Considerable per next Opportunity and am Sir

your most Obedient humble Servant
Thomas Rasberry

The above Currency recd. of Mr Cunningham

Mr John Smith October 24th: 1760
per Capt Braddock

I have your Letter of the 17th Ulto enclosing Mr Toblers Draft on Mr Shaw. I dont know how the old Gentleman came to forget this draft but am sorry it has thus happened, as we intended you in Payment. I shall return it to him per next Opportunity and to be sure the Expence you have been at about it ought to be paid you of which youl please to Acquaint me

I am Sir Yr. most Obedient Servant
Thos. Rasberry

Savannah in Georgia Novembr. 5th. 1760

Devonsheir Reeve & Lloyd

GENTLEMEN I have your Letters of the 21st. April and 14th June last now before me, together with Invoices of Goods shipt for my Account in the Spy - Lyford and Salisbury Sharpe, but I have not

yet received any of the Woollens by either or these Conveyances as they have been detained in Charles Town for some Months past in Consequence of an Act lately passed in Carolina in order to prevent the supplying the Enemy with any of these Articles or Indian Trading Goods &ca; however, permission has at last been obtained in a very few Days. The Detention of these Goods so long in Carolina has been of no small Prejudice to me in their Sales, and I am afraid that I must be obliged to keep the major part of them on hand over the next Summer

Youl find under Cover of this the first of the two following Setts of Bills Exchange on London amounting to Two hundred and seven Pounds & eight pence Sterling which when paid you'l pass to my Credit Namely

Robt. Colhoun's Bill to Harriott Crooke on John & Thos. Mills 4th August last for	155.5.8
Pickering Robinson's do. to Willm. Russell on Samuel Lloyd 4th. Ulto.	51.15.0
	£207.0.8

I notice the Observation you make in your Letter of the 21 April "as to your being allowed Interest at the Expiration of the customary Time of Payment." this is no more than what I expected, and think reasonable, to do, and have done with my other european Correspondents for several years past. I shou'd be glad to have my Account Current the next Time you write and am

Gentn. &ca

T. R.

P.S. Since I wrote the above I have had an Opportunity of enlarging this Remittance £25 more, Namely - Noble Jones's first Bill to me on James Fitter dated the 22d. Ulto. for the above Sum (£25) which you have also enclosed, and I debit your Account with £232.0.8 in Consequence

Mr William Thomson Savannah November 5th. 1760

Sr. The foregoing are Copies of mine of the 5th September and 25th Ulto. and herein I hand you the Seconds of the Bills mentioned in the latter. I observe what you say on the 2d. July in Answer to my Complaints of the Irish Linnens and Iron Ware and am sensible that several Species of european Goods have greatly risen as to Price within a short Time past, which may in a great Measure be owing (as you observe) to the extra Demand for such Articles from our newly acquired PLaces, but in respect to the Quality of the last Irish Linnens, I'me afraid that some Peices were really rotten as

represented to me. As to the Ironmongery I have no other Remark to make on that Article except that Mr Tappenden omitted to send the 6 pair Sad Irons No. 3, 18 pr. only being received instead of 24 - you'l notice this, and as I make no doubt of your consulting my Interest in every Particular I have only to add that I am Sir &ca

T. R

P.S. If Freights shou'd prove anyways reasonable in Carolina this Winter and Rice can be had upon moderate Terms, my Neighbour Graham and I proposes in Conjunction to load a Vessel of about 5 or 600 Barrels for Europe

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah Novb. 13 1760

SIR/ I have your Letter of the 29th Ulto. together with my nine Bales Woolens per Capt Smith, all in tolerable good order except the Bale colour'd Plains you mention which has received some damage, tho' nothing Considerable. I hope your Governor may shortly be of Opinion that my strouds & Gunpowder may come away with safety, as I am much in want of the former Article this will be handed you by Capt Lyford and contains 3 Packetts for England. Vizt. one to Mr Thomson a second for Bristol and one to the revd Mr. Zeigenhagen in forwarding of which I must beg you to be particularly carefull of the following Remarks - Henry Yonge Esqr. our Surveyor General who went away with Govr. Ellis to Charles Town has under his Care the original Packet for Mr Thomson of which this is a Copy and it contains Papers of Consequence, Mr Yonge is going for England but was not certain by what Conveyance, therefore its absolutely necessary before you deliver this Packett for Mr Thomson to know in what Vessel Mr Yonge takes Passage in order to prevent both Original & Copy going by the same Opportunity. Capt Sharpe & Strachan (as you acquaint me will also have a Letter of which herein is a Copy therefore youl please to observe that this Packett must not go either in Strachan Sharpe or in the same Vessel said Mr Yonge embarks in. As to the Bristol Packett, that may be sent by any Opportunity, being an Original and the other for the Revd Mr Ziegenhagen must be put on board a Londoner only. Permission was granted Capt. Miller to bring up some Bales of Strouds & other Woollens as they came under Clearance and I shoud be heartily glad if I coud only get two of my Bales Strouds or even one Bale up which is only intended to cut up in my Shop for the Use of some poor white People who cannot go to the Cost of a superior kind of Cloth - a little Gunpowder I really want

and I beg you to endeavour by all Means to get Leave for as much as you can of these to be sent me. I shoud also be glad to have 2 barrels Coffee sent me per next Oppo[rtunity] & am Sir

&ca

John Tobler Esqr Savannah Novembr. 22d. 1760

Sir I received your Letter of the 30th Ultimo and this waits on you in answer. The hhd Rum per Mr Little was not full when delivered, nor woud the Person I bought it from fill it; however, the Quantity charged and the Deficiency you mention (8 Inches) seems to be right agreable to the Charge. I notice your Intention of sending down a parcel of Skins next Month and that you are desirous of knowing what I woud allow you for them, in answer to which I can only say that you may depend on being allowed the market Price for 'em (either of this Place or Chas Town at the Time of Delivery). As to your being informed whether I can furnish you with a pretty large Parcel of Goods next month, I cannot very readily reply too, because, since the Indian Troubles begun I have countermanded (in part) a considerable Order for Goods that I had sent to London, on Account of these Indian Commotions. I have at present a good Quantity of Duffill Blanketts and Strouds but in Respect to Linnens &ca. I have but little by me. I received the Receipts you mention and make no doubt of their being punctually paid in Chas. Town and am Sr. &cr

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah Novr. 28th. 1760

Sir I have just now receiv'd your Lre of the 22d Instant advising me of your having receiv'd a few Packages for me from Mr Thomson per Capt White Invoice for which was enclos'd me the 14th Instant by Messrs. Carsan & Swallow of your Town, who have promis'd to take out a Certificate for my Chest Tea along with their own by same Conveyance, the marks Number and Contents of which I apprehend must appear on the Cacquet deliver'd at your Custom House by Captain White, however as you desire I here send you all the Description of said Chest Tea that appears on the Invoice vizt.

T R No. 3.1.3
2.1 Tare
———
2.3.2 310 lb Trett
12
———
290 Nt

You'l find here enclosd the 1st and second of Mr Tobler's Receipts

for seventy one Pounds fifteen shillings Sterling of Messrs. Smith and Brewton, which sum I apprehend said Gentlemen will now pay you on sight therefore I have Charg'd your Account therewith and the 3d of those receipts will be handed you in my next. I am

Sir

Your most humble Servant
Thos. Rasberry

Messrs. Carsan & Swallow Savannah Georgia Novr. 20th

GENTLEMEN/ I receiv'd your Letter of the 14th Instant, enclosing a Lre and Invoice of a few Packages from Mr Wm. Thomson per Capt White. I shall be much oblig'd to you to include my Chest Tea with your's in your Custom House Certificate and return it to Mr Thomson, and if I can be of any service to you in this Province you may freely Command

Gentlemen
Your very humble Servant
Thos. Rasberry

Mr. Wm. Banbury Savannah Decr. 22d. 1760

SIR In this I enclose you McQueen Gordon & Cos. Order on Messrs. John McQueen & Co to me dated the 5th Instant for Two hundred and Twenty Pounds your Currency on Account of Capt. Longstaffe As I have not Time at present to look into his Account I cannot say whether this Draft may fall short or over ballance it, but this may be accomodated hereafter when I have Time to write out his Account to send you & am Sir

Yrs &ca
T. R.

Mr. Josiah Smith Savannah Decr. 22d. 1760
per Talbert

I received your Letter of the 3d. Instant per Capt Campbell together with the sundry Articles therein mentioned. I notice you're selling the Beaver and your paying Timothy & Wells for their Papers as per their Receipts sent me. I am sorry my Gunpowder is yet detained - it may be (as you observe) that the Powder brought up here was represented as for the Use of Forts &ca. I hope the Prohibition may soon be taken off as you seem to expect it. Youl find herein a Certificate to cancel your Bond for the Sugars per Campbell and I notice what you say concerning Mr De Brahms Maps; as soon as I see him I shall speak to him and if he chuses to let you have a Sett,

at the Price you mention they shall be sent you per next opportunity

I am Sr &ca

I must beg you to send me 20 or 30 yds black Gimp agreable to sample enclosed

Mr William Thomson per Capt Bowies - Portsmouth.
Capt Mcaddin - Cowes

Savannah in Georgia Janry 3d. 1761

Sir/ Two days agoe your Letters of the 7th and 29th October last came to hand wherein I find the Sales of the Indico per the Squerries & my Account Current brought up to the beginning of this Year. I have also the Copy of my Account for the Year 1759 the Receipt of which you'l find acknowledged in mine of the 5th. Sepr. last wherein I pointed out a small Error of 10/ in your prejudice. I have not yet had Time to examine my last Account but it will soon be done and if any Thing in it appears wrong you'l be advised of the same in my next. I am now collecting what Indico & Deer Skins I can to ship you under Convoy of the M. W. Dolphin who, *its said*, will sail from Charles Town for Europe sometime in April next. I cannot exactly now determine what the Value may be that I shall have to ship you by that Opportunity, tho I think it will not be less than five hundred Pounds Sterling therefore I desire you to make Insurance on that Sum conditionaly with or without Convoy because at present I can neither ascertain the Vessel the Goods may be shipt in nor indeed the Time of the Convoys sailing.

Youl find in the Postscript to a few Lines that I wrote you the 5th November last that Mr Graham and I had then some Thoughts of taking up a Vessel in Charles Town jointly, to have loaded for Europe, but as Freights there yet keep up we have not yet come to any determination on this Affair

I hope that long before this comes to hand you will have seen Mr Yonge by whom I enclosed you last October 516.16.11½ Sterling in Bills

I am Sir &c

Our Indian Affairs, seemingly, remain much in the same State, as when I last wrote you, and we are dayly expecting a Body of Troops from General Amherst

To Devonshier Reeve & Lloyd Savannah Georgia Janry. 5th. 1761

Gentlemen In mine of the 5th November last was acknowledged the Receipt of your Letters of the 21st. April & 14 June preceeding together with an Account of the Arrival of the Goods Shipt me in the Spy & Salisbury at Charles Town where they were detained a

considerable Time in Consequence of an Act of Assembly of Carolina as mentioned in my said Letter, however I have since then received the whole of them in tolerable good Order & have been lucky enough to dispose of the greater part of the PLains notwithstanding they came to my hands so very late in Season. In my aforesaid Letter I enclosed you three Setts of Bills amounting to £232.0.8 Sterling which as I believe they were undubitable if they reached you safely are now paid & passed to my Credit. herein you have the Seconds of said Bills and I must beg you to ship me as soon as possible after the recept hereof under Insurance consigned as usual to Josiah Smith Junr Mercht in Charles Town So Carolina the following Vizt

2000 yds. white PLains from 13d to 14 or 14½d per yard
12 ps blue ditto about 34 yds each } same as per
6 ps. green do. 34 yds each } the Spy
3 . . 0 . . 0 white Lead ground in Oyl in small Kegs
8 corn Mills with Boxes & Hoppers about 25/ each
4 do. with do. 27/ ea
10 . . 0 . . 0 Iron Potts from 10 to 18 Lb. weight each chiefly of the smaller weight mentioned
600 feet window Glass 10 by 8 } in boxes of 100 feet each
400 feet do 9 by 11 } in boxes of 100 feet each
80 groce short Pipes } in boxes of 5 or 6 groce each
20 groce long do. } in boxes of 5 or 6 groce each
50 galls. linseed Oyl in wickered Jugs of 2 gallons each
12 doz small barrels Lampblack

I must beg you in shipping the white & coloured PLains to divide the above Quantity as near as you can so that they may come out in Two Bottoms and by the two first sailing Vessels for Charles Town as to the other Articles they may all come together per either of those Conveyances. I shall make another Remittance very speedily and shoud be glad to have my Account Current up to the close of the Year past and am

Gent &cr

Janry 6th.

Since I wrote the foregoing yesterday I met with a Sett of Bills Exchange on London the first of which you'l find here enclosed namely J. M. Bolzius's Bills to me on Thos. Broughton dated the 1st. November last for Fifty Pounds sterling, which I'me persuaded will meet due honour and be placed to my Credit

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah 10th Janry 1761
per Mr Zubly

Sir I received your Letter of the 1st. Inst. enclosing my Account to the 31 Ulto which shall be examined and the Ballance 517.0.10 your Currency if right passed to your Credit - the two small Accounts against Drummond & Shephard I shall endeavour to get paid tho the latter appears to be a perfect Stranger here for none of his Occupation that I have yet spoke too knows any thing of him by that name, however I shall continue my Enquiry and may very probably find him out if in these Parts. I shall see Drummond perhaps in a Day or two hence. I notice Coll. Beales paying Mr Debrahm his whole Subscription - and the Letters for Mr Robinson &ca are received. I must beg you to forward the 2 enclosed Letters for Bristol by the two first Conveyances that may offer for any part of Britain, they are Copies and must not go together and youl please to favour me with the Names of the Vessels they go in.

I herein enclose you Two hundred Pounds your Money to be placed to my Credit. Mr Thos. Lloyd acquaints me that he shall go for your Town in a few days hence by whom I shall write you again and send you at least an equal Remittance.

I am Sir & cr

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah Janry 16th. 1761

I wrote you a Line the 10th. Instant by the revd. Mr. Zubly and therein enclosed you Two hundred Pounds in your Money to be carried to my Credit. This will be handed you by Mr Lloyd and wherein youl find four hundred Pounds more which youl likewise place to my Account, and I must beg you to send me by the first good Opportunity that may offer the following Articles.

1 hhd. of muscovado Sugar, or about the like Quantity in barrels which may do best on account of roling up our Hill
1 hhd. Rum under Debenture
400 lb. Coffee
10 lb Chocolate
1 Cag good madeira Wine - 8 or 10 gallons
25 lb. brown sugar Candy if under 10/ per Lb. yr. Currency put up in a small Box

Youl please to forward the two enclosed Letters for Mr Thomson by the two first Opportunities for any part of Britain as they are Orders for Insurance on a few Goods I propose shipping him under Convoy of the Dolphin.

I have spoke to Mr De Brahm about a Sett of Maps for you as you mentioned, which I shoud have sent by this Opportunity, had

it been convenient, but as Mr. Lloyd tells me his Boat is small, I defer it for another Conveyance. you'l also find under Cover 2 other small Packetts for London, one for Mr Broughton, the other for Mr Lloyd which please to send away with these for Mr. Thomson. I cannot yet hear any Thing of Shephard. Drummond is at Ogechee fitting out a small new built Vessel, as soon as he comes to Town I shall tender him your Account

I am Sir &cr

Mr Josiah Smith Savannah Jany. 24th. 1761

Sir I wrote you the 10th. Instant per rvd Zubly and again the 16th. per Mr. Lloyd both of which I hope you've receiv'd in mine of the 10th. was enclos'd 2 Letters for Bristol, and herein you'l find 2 more Copies thereof if the former are yet in your Hands, you'l please to notice that they must go by 4 different Conveyances. my Letter of the 16th. Cont'd 2 for Mr Thomson and here are two more Copies of them also, therefore you'l forward them in like order, with those for Bristol.

Yesterday I was informed that Mr Shephard was in the S.thern Part of this Province in a very poor Condition, my Informant believes he is not capable of paying a single penny, I shall write to a friend there of mine to get your Demand from him, if Possible

I herein send you £15.3/9 more in Currency and I must beg you to make the Sugar desir'd of you the 16th Instant 2 hhds. PLease also to send me 200 lb. Sope in [torn] boxes

I am Sir

Your very Obedient Servant

Thos. Rasberry

Mr William Thomson Savannah Georgia February 6th. 1761

My last was the 3d. Ultimo wherein was acknowledged the receipt of yours under the 7th and 29th. October last wherein youl find Directions to make Insurance on £500 in Goods to be shipt you on an uncertain Vessel under Convoy of the Dolphin, which I now confirm. The 5th of Septr. last you was desired to ship me Sundry Articles which youl readily perceive were chiefly calculated for the Summer Season and may, very probably, be now on their Passage here. I shall want sundry other Goods for my Winters Sale, mostly of the woollen Kind, and as so much depends on the seasonable Arrival of these Articles I must request you to send me out the following so that they may be here by the last of August or beginning of September next at farthest - under Insurance, marked and consigned as usual, namely

4 doz milld yarn Caps a 6 per doz
3 doz single worsted ditto a 4 or 5/ per doz
3 doz double ditto a 6 or 6/6
3 doz mens grey yarn Hose a 11/6 per doz
3 doz do a 12/6
3 doz dos. grey wove worsted do. a 18/ per doz
3 doz dos. do. a 20/
2 doz. dos. do. a 22/
2 doz. dos. plain knitt do. a 32/
6 doz. dos. grey ribbd abt. 32/
2 doz. dos. fine black Hose a 42/
let a few pr. be ribbd
2 doz. woms. blue stamp't yarn clockt Hose a 11/6 per doz
2 doz. dittos. do. a 12/6
3 doz. dittos. chervd. worsted do. a' 20/ per doz
3 doz. dittos. do. a' 22/
1 doz. ditto. do. a 24/
1 doz. ditto. do. a 28/
1 doz. boys grey knit Hose a 18/
1 doz. do. a 22/
2 doz. do. a 22/
3 doz. childs first Stockings spotted about 4/ per doz
3 doz. larger abt. 8 or 8/6 per doz
6 womens scarlet Cloaks a' 6/8 each
6 dos. do. a' 7/4
6 dos. do. a' 9/6
4 woms. black silk Capuchins flowered & fringed a 15/ each
4 dittos. do. a 20/
4 dittoes. do. a 25/
3 woms. flowered black silk Cardinals
3 dittos. do. sattin do. } of a midling Quality
2 ps. blue Durants a' 34/ per ps.
2 ps. blue Callimancoe a' 34/6
3 blue worsted Damasks a 49s.
10 ps. striped duffill Blanketts
2 Ends blue broad Cloths of 10½ yards each at 14/ per Yd.
1 ps. or abt. 20 yds ordinary blue broad ditto about 7s or 8s. per yd.
10½ yds fine black do. abt. 15/ per yd
4 ps. blue german Serge midling Quality
6 yds green broad Cloth a 15/

10½ yds scarlet ditto a 14/
please to send Shalloon & Trimmings in proportion for the above Cloths
2 ps. blue Shalloon about 30/
2 ps. finer ditto about 36/
1 ps. red striped Linsey a 36/
1 ps. blue striped Do. a 36/ narrow Stripes
1 ps. red striped Do. a 14d per yd
1 ps. blue striped Do. a 14d
2 ps. red striped Linseys a' 14d per yd
2 ps. blue striped ditto a 14d broader Stripes
2 ps. emboss'd Serge - a red ground & black Flowers
2 ps. ditto - a blue ground with black Flowers
2 ps. blue napt Witneys a' 4/3
6 mens cloth great Coats a' 14/
2 mens do. a 16/
2 mens do. a 18/
2 mens do. a 20/
18 dos. blue duffill ditto a' 11/
please to order the above great Coats to be in general of the longest Sizes tho' you exceed 12 or 14d each in the above Prices
12 mens bearskin Coats a 11/
6 youths ditto a 8/6 or 9s.
2 doz mens blue Sailors or fearnought Jacketts large at 6/9 each
1 doz. witney Jacketts about 4/6 each
8 blue
4 green
6 pr. mens cloth Breeches about 7 or [torn] pr.
6 pr. mens coarser ditto a' 4/
1 ps. black Bombazine of a pretty good Quality
1 ps. black Alamode abt. 60 Ells at 2/
1 ps. Crape for Hatbands a 22/ per Ell
2 ps. Irish Poplins about 28 or 30 yds each a 22d. per yd
2 ps. ditto a 2/ per yd
2 ps. ditto a 2/6 per yd
The foregoing are intended for Womens Gowns and the grounds are off worsted with silk Flowers, and I woud have them of different Patterns.
4 doz. womens stuff damask or Callimancos Shoes let a few pr. be black but none yellow
6 doz. womens Leather Shoes chiefly large Sizes
60 lb. OSnabrig Thread a' 19d. per lb.

20 lb. ditto at 16d. in half pounds
20 lb. fine blue Thread a 2/6
12 lb. whited brown do. a 2/2
12 doz pastework Handkerchiefs blue & white a 12/9 per doz
6 doz blue spotted do a 14/ per do
15 ps. cotton Rommall do. a 10/6 do.
2 ps. (or 40 Yds) plain Muslin a 57s. per ps.
8 doz mens felt Hatts a' 14/ per doz
6 doz dos. castor do. a 24/ per doz
2 doz carolina Beaver do. a 5s/ each
6 do. a 1/6 each
6 do. a 10/ each
6 do. a 12/ ea.
6 lb. Nutmegs
2 lb. Cinnamon
56 lb. brown sugar Candy
12 Reams fools cap Paper at 12/6 per Rm
[torn] doz Bibles at 2/6 each
2 doz Testaments at 11/ per doz
2 doz spelling Books at 8/ per doz.
2 doz pewter Basons abt. 1 lb. each
2 doz do. 1½ lb. each
2 doz do. 2 lb. each
1 doz flat pewter Dishes sorted
12 double gro. flat white mettal Buttons
6 single gro. coat ditto
18 copper Tea Kettles of different Sizes and filled with quart bottle Corks.
N.B. the Corks they generally send out for quart Bottles are too large
2 copper Coffee Potts a 5/ each
2 do. a 6/ ea.
2 do. a 7/ ea.
1 doz brass beer Cocks
1 doz wine do.
12 doz. blue & white earthen half pint Bowls a 2/3 per doz
6 doz pint do. at 3/ per doz
6 doz quart do. at 4/6 per do
4 doz blue & white stone chamber Potts at 8/ per doz
72 enamelled china Cups and Sawcers at 4½d. each

72 burnt in ditto at 6 or 7d each
please to order the above Cups & Sawcers to be large, those sent per the Sally Coombes are not liked, being too small - let them be Landscaped and lively patterns.
8 doz. glass Tumblers different Sizes and all plain
12 doz. bottles Mustard
50 lb. Westons pigtail Tobacco in half pounds
2 doz pair silk knee Garters blue
2 doz pair do. scarlet
2 doz pair do. black
2 doz pair do. different cloth Colours
1 lb. black sewing Silk
1 lb. deep blue ditto
12 pair Iron wire rice Seives
6 pair ditto brass
those per the Union were all coarse one's which was wrong they shoud have been pairs
1 doz small Bellows at 2/
8 doz. fine hair flower Seives
4 doz. painters Brushes of different Sizes
12 good Hand Saws
6 Sash Saws
6 dove tail Saws
6 doz double bitted polished small nail Gimbletts
18 doz common small nail Gimbletts sorted at 10d per doz
2 doz spike nail do. at 18d. per doz
2 doz do. a 21d.
2 doz do. a 2/
2 dz Table Hinges with Screws (vizt) 1 doz at 4/8 & 1 a 5/3
18 pr. Trace Chains a 3/ per pr
12 pr ditto about 8 or 9 Lb. each
3 doz square eyed Hatchetts about 12/ per doz.
12 doz. pit saw Files a' 5/ per doz
6 doz. X cut saw do. a 3/6 or 3/8 per doz
12 doz. hand saw do. at 20d. per doz
2 doz. round plated Bolts a' 5/ per doz.
2 doz. do. a 7s do.
2 doz. do. a 10/ do.
2 doz. Iron Squares a 12/ per doz
2 doz. Curry Combs a 9/ do.
1 doz. Brushes for do. a 9/
8 pr. sad Irons a 2/2 per pr.
8 pr. do. a 2/6

8 pr. do. a 3/
6 doz. broad Hoes a 20/ per doz with round Creases
1 doz ½ inch Augurs
1 doz ¾ inch do.
1 doz 1 inch do.
50 lb. dutch glazed Shoe Thread
1 doz Tap borers
2 doz lathing Hammers
6 doz Hasps & Staples different Sizes
1 doz broad Axes a 3/ each
1 doz larger a 3/6 or 3/9 ea.
6 doz felling Axes a 30/ per doz
3 . . 0 . . 0 sorted frying Pans
6 steel coffee Mills at 6/ each
6 do. at 7s
6 pair middle sized Stilyards with Pea's
12 pr. Coopers Compasses
2 doz. dos. Vices
1 doz. dos. Howels
3 doz. dos. Bitts sorted
1 doz. dos. broad Axes
1 doz. dos. Croce
1 doz. dos. Adzes
6 pair ¾ inch grooving Planes
6 pair 1¼ inch ditto
let the above PLanes be Iron plated
1 doz. Iron chafing Dishes about 2/3 or 2/6 each
6 pair chamber fire Shovels & Tongs a' 2/6 per pair
6 pair Kitchin do a 3/
2 . . 0 . . 0 Sheet Iron
10 . . 0 . . 0 bar ditto
1 . . 0 . . 0 german Steel
6 pair new fashions brass Candlesticks a 6/ per pr
2 doz mens black glazed Gloves
4 doz snaffle Bridles a 24/ per doz
2 doz double Girths
2 doz single do.

I shall endeavour if possible to send you another Boats pay Bill per this Opportunity but if it cannot be got ready in Time youl have it by next. I wrote to Devonshier Reeve & Lloyd the 5th. Ulto. for a few Goods to be here in the Fall; since then, I have received a very odd kind of a Letter from them wherein they seem to imply

that it will not suit them to deal with any on this Side unless their Remittances as such as will keep off an Interest Account which you know is impossible to be done unless a Person had a very extensive Capital indeed, - the Payments I have made them have been such that cannot in reason I conceive be liable to Complaint, but for Fear they shoud make any Demur in shipping my said Order, which is to no great Amount, I must beg you to support it in order to prevent a Dissappointment. They have sent me no Account Current since I begun with them and I dont apprehend I owed them any thing, except a little Interest, before they shipped me the last Parcel of Goods (about £500 Amount) and before they were received *here* I remitted them upwards of £200 on Account of the same.

I am Sir &cra

John Tobler Esq — Savannah Georgia Feby. 6th. 1761

Sir/ I receiv'd your Lre of the 26th. Ulto. Containing £242 So.

C. Cy. in sterg.	£34.11.5
& in Georgia Money	8.16.10
	———
	£43.8.3

which as you observ'd overbalanced your own Account by three Pence as youl see by the enclos'd the Goods I now send you by Mr. Bender amounting to £170.11/7¼ and which I hope youl safely receive, will be the first Charge in a new Acct. You wrote for several Articles which I could not get in this Town, were almost all kinds of Goods are at present very Scarce. after the seven Packs of the Companys Skins are Carried to the Credit of that Account there will remain a Ballance of . . . . Its now late at Night, Bender goes away before day Break in the Morning therefore I cannot write so fully as I intend to do by next Opportunity. I Received all the Skins, Tallow, Bees Wax & the seven Steer hides you mention & am

Sir

Your very Humble Servant
Thomas Rasberry

PS Please to Excuse Haste

Mr Josiah Smith — Savannah in Georgia Feby 9th. 1761

Sir/ I receiv'd your Letter of the 6th Instant by the revd. Mr. Zubly, together with all the Articles put on board Capt. Smyth, amounting as per Bill to £485.5/2 your money for which sum you have a Credit with me, I'me really sorry to learn that you're in a bad state of health & should be glad to hear that your removal from Carolina for a short

space of time might be a means of recovery and as I find both by your own advertisements in the Gazette and also from the revd Mr Zubly that your Business will yet be carried on in your Absence I make no doubt but you'l leave proper Directions, as to my Concerns your way, with the Person to whom you may intrust your Affairs in Charles Town, I observe that my late Letters for Europe all all gone - herein I send you 2 more for Mr Thomson, which as they are Duplicates must go per different Conveyances. Mr Pickering Robinson & Mr Russell have been Acquainted with the Reason of your not writing them, which they cannot take Amiss. I hope by next Opportunity I may receive my Gunpowder as I find that your Act of Assembly for Prohibiting this Article &cr is now Expir'd, a good Quantity of Powder I'me told, came up in Capt Smyth

I am Sir

Your very Humble Servant

Thos. Rasberry

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